

MADERO ARRESTED; THREATENED

DIETZ FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

Wisconsin Man Who Slew to Protect Property Rights Loses Fight.

Life in Prison Is Sentence; Wife and Son to Be Freed.

HAYWARD, Wis., May 13.—John F. Dietz will spend the rest of his natural life at hard labor at the state penitentiary at Waupun for the murder of Deputy Oscar Harp in the battle of Cameron Dam on October 8 last, by the verdict returned by the jury today.

The verdict follows:

"John F. Dietz, guilty of murder in the first degree.

"Hattie E. Dietz, his wife, not guilty of murder in the first degree.

"Leslie Dietz, his son, not guilty of murder in the first degree.

The smile with which the "old man" has always faced conditions did not desert him as the judge read the verdict. He showed no emotion. A frown came over the face of Mrs. Dietz, however, and she stared at the judge. Leslie smiled faintly and the color came and went in his face.

ANNOUNCE VERDICT.

The announcement that the jury had arrived at a verdict was made at 3:45 o'clock. Judge Reid was immediately notified and Sheriff Clark received a telephone message from the clerk of the court to bring John Dietz into the courtroom.

Mrs. Dietz had been with her husband throughout the night and Leslie had called this morning. The three defendants came to the courtroom, walking side by side, accompanied by three special deputies.

The trouble between John F. Dietz and the lumber companies operating in Sawyer county, Wis., began in February, 1904, through Dietz's refusal to allow the companies to float logs over the Cameron dam, located on a quarter section bought by Mrs. Dietz, without paying him a toll he demanded.

KILLS DEPUTY.

In ten principal attempts to capture him on various charges and legal processes, Oscar Harp, a deputy sheriff, was killed October 8 last, several men were wounded. Myra Dietz was shot through the body, Clarence Dietz was wounded in the forehead and John Dietz was shot through the hand. The shooting of Bert Horel at Winter, Wis., by Dietz, in September last, is more or less closely traceable to the original trouble. The tenth armed effort to take Dietz was successful and he became a prisoner on October 8 last. He was charged with various offenses ranging from destruction of property and assault and battery to murder in the first degree. Mrs. Dietz and Leslie were defendants in the murder case. They, Myra, Clarence and John Dietz are defendants in other actions pending against the family.

There was a moment's silence follow-

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Body of 'Double' Is Cremated for Actor

Mistake Discovered When Remains of Person Sought Found in Ruins.

GLASGOW, May 13.—After formal and official identification, the body of "Lafayette the Great," the vaudeville performer who lost his life when the Empire music hall at Pittsburgh was burned, was cremated here today and the ashes taken to Edinburgh for interment in the tomb the actor had prepared for himself and his pet dog "Beauty."

Lafayette's body was recovered from the fire ruins early yesterday. It was easily recognized and it was then that the body cremated the day before was not, as was then supposed, that of Lafayette, but of Richards, another member of the company, who appeared as Lafayette's double in one of his illusions.

CONVICTED MAN BLAMES LUMBER TRUST FOR FATE



MYRA DIETZ, who was shot in the battle that ended Oscar Harp's life, and LESLIE DIETZ, who was acquitted today.

Mrs. Florence Dodge Guilty of Manslaughter

Slayer of William Heath of Dalton, N. H., to Serve for Crime.

GUILD HALL, Vt., May 13.—Guilty of manslaughter was the verdict returned today in the case of Mrs. Florence M. Dodge of Lundberg, who has been on trial for the last two weeks for the murder of William Heath of Dalton, N. H., at Mrs. Dodge's home on September 17 last.

Sentence was deferred until next Monday in order to allow Mrs. Dodge's counsel time for appeal. Mrs. Dodge, who is the widow of John Marshall Dodge, of Lundberg, late high sheriff of Essex county, was put on trial May 11, charged with the murder of William Heath, painter, of Dalton, N. H., who was shot and killed while working in a bedroom at Mrs. Dodge's home. No one except Mrs. Dodge and Heath were in the house when the shooting occurred and no motive for the tragedy was set forth by the state.

30 Soldiers Drown When Barges Upset

Belgians Lose Lives During a Storm on Lualaba River in Africa.

ANTWERP, Belgium, May 13.—A news dispatch reports the capsizing of two barges laden with Belgian soldiers during a storm on the Lualaba river, one of the head streams of the Congo river, near Lokandu, Belgian Congo. Thirty lives were lost.

the ritualistic killing* of a boy last March.

KIEVE, Russia, May 13.—Rumors of a threatened massacre of Jews tomorrow are afraid. It is reported that the Jews have developed the city into districts for organized self-defense. The government issued a proclamation today stating that it would suppress with a firm hand any attempt at disorders on Sunday.

HOLD-UP IS VEILED IN MYSTERY

Police Investigate Report That Five Men Were Robbers' Victims

Attaches of Cafe Deny That the Theft Occurred in Card Rooms

Mystery surrounds the holdup at a late hour last night of five men engaged in a game of cards in rooms over the Hoffman cafe, 413-420 Seventh street. According to reports made to the police, two masked men entered a room where a game of poker was going on and leveling revolvers at the heads of the game-keeper and players, scooped \$103 from the table, the contents of a jack-pot, and after searching the pockets of the players and obtaining \$25 additional made their escape in the same stealthy manner in which they had gained entrance to the room.

Those playing at the time gave their names as George Agnew, Ben Jordan, Leo Harris, Dan Richardson and Sam Merrilweather. The game, according to those present, had proceeded to the extent that a considerable sum of money was usually on the table.

MASKED MEN APPEAR.

Suddenly the two masked men made their appearance in the doorway and leveling their revolvers instructed the players not to make any outcry but to "come through with the coin."

One of the men, the heavier and older, then approached the table and, securing the gold and silver that lay thereon, commenced a search of the players. Only \$25 additional was obtained. It was asserted that the reason that a Chinaman employee had just been sent out of the room with the earnings of the table and had taken along with him a quantity of coin belonging to individual players.

Today none of the employees of the place could throw any light upon the reported hold-up, stating that they knew of nothing having taken place further than the regular order of affairs.

ONCE FAMOUS HOUSE.

The place has gone under the name of the Rapid Rooming House since the re-opening of the old Hoffman saloon and grill closed some time ago as the result of financial difficulties. For many years the Hoffman was famous as the hold-out of racing men and gamblers. After the races closed at the Emeryville track, the efforts of William Hopkins, the proprietor, to keep up the popularity that formerly attached to the place were futile and gradually things went from bad to worse until the house was closed. Since early morning the police have been investigating the hold-up but so far have not discovered any clue that would lead to the perpetrators for the reason that silence on the part of attaches of the place has thwarted their inquiries.

Prayer Saves Negro Youth From Prison

Saloon Keeper Makes Thief Say, "Now I Lay Me"; He Knew it by Heart.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 13.—A saloon keeper's testimony that he had made Milton Love, a negro boy, 13 years old, say his prayers when he caught him stealing cigars from his saloon brought the boy a parole in the Juvenile Court here yesterday afternoon.

"I asked him to say his 'Now I lay me' and he rattled it off quick," said Gus Zorn, the saloon keeper. "Then I told him I thought he'd been well raised."

The judge thought so too, and told the boy his prayer had saved him.

Lady Decies Rallies From Her Operation

Satisfactory Recovery of American Woman Reported in London.

LONDON, May 13.—Lady Decies, who underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday, was reported as making a satisfactory recovery.

DICKINSON RESIGNS OFFICE STIMSON WILL FILL PLACE



HENRY L. STIMSON, prominent New York Republican, who is the new Secretary of War.

Secretary of War Deserts the Cabinet; Political Reasons Hinted

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Jacob M. Dickinson of Tennessee will be succeeded as Secretary of War in the Taft Cabinet by Henry L. Stimson of New York. The announcement of the resignation of the Secretary and the selection of Stimson as his successor was made at the White House last night. Dickinson's resignation will become effective immediately upon the qualification of Stimson. The understanding here is that Stimson will take the oath of office and enter upon his new duties the latter part of next week. Taft will confer with Stimson on the official announcement of his resignation on Sunday, when the exact date of the change will be determined. The resignation of Dickinson marks the second break in the Taft Cabinet. Dickinson gives business reasons as his motive for retiring from the Cabinet. While there have been reports from time to time in the last year that he contemplated returning to private life, the official announcement of his resignation came as a surprise to official and political Washington.

It was explained in behalf of Dickinson that most of his private fortune is invested in a coal company in Tennessee. The concern was recently placed in the hands of a receiver, and in order to better protect his interests he determined to resign. It is his purpose to return to his home in Tennessee.

Secretary Dickinson will go to his Tennessee home immediately upon the qualification of his successor. He expects to devote his attention to business, and will not return to the practice of law, in which he was engaged when President Taft appointed him Secretary of War in March, 1909.

He is the second member of Mr. Taft's Cabinet to retire to private life. Secretary of the Interior Ballinger having severed his connection with the President's official family only a few months ago.

Coincident with the announcement of Mr. Dickinson's retirement came that of the appointment of C. S. Millington of Herkimer, N. Y., to be assistant treasurer of the United States in New York. Stimson was the Roosevelt candidate for Governor, while Millington was a former member of the House from the Twenty-seventh New York District, and is a close friend of Vice-President Sherman.

In the two appointments, official Washington found food for speculation, and many politicians thought they saw therein the first step of the Administration to straighten out the tangled skein of New York politics.

TAFT SATISFIED.

No effort was made by the President to conceal the satisfaction with which he viewed the appointment of Stimson. Not only has he the highest personal regard for the incoming member of his cabinet, but he is well aware that the appointment will be acceptable to a large faction of the Republican party in New York.

While the selection of Stimson was

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State Troops Are Held in Readiness for Call to Arms

SACRAMENTO, May 13.—It is stated at Adjutant General Forbes' office that if orders for service should be made the troops are ready to move to the front on two and a half hours' notice. Men in the adjutant general's office have been busy for weeks preparing for just such an emergency. Route maps, showing the quickest way for each company of the National

100 INSURRECTOS UNDER OROZCO RISE AGAINST THEIR OWN PRESIDENT

Rebel Leader, After Appealing in Vain to Soldiers, Secures Peace in Ranks by Agreeing to Oust the Members of the Recently Formed Provisional Cabinet

General Navarro, Whose Life Is Threatened by Captors, Is Escorted to River, Which He Fords, and Then Disappears on the American Side; Women Flee From Threatened Cananea

JUAREZ, Mexico, May 13.—Rebellion arose today in the ranks of the forces under General Orozco, one of the fighting leaders of the Madero army, headed by Orozco himself. A demand was made upon Provisional President Madero for food and money for his ragged, hungry soldiers. Madero was unable to satisfy these demands at the time, but his explanations were peremptorily thrown aside by the belligerent leader, Orozco, and his followers and Madero was declared under arrest. Finally the matter was settled by Madero promising that the immediate needs of the soldiers would be attended to, and the insurgents who had gathered by the hundreds around headquarters dispersed.

OFFICERS VIOLATE PAROLES.

Trouble has been brewing ever since it became known yesterday that a number of officers in the Federal forces at Juarez had violated their paroles and come to the American side. Without funds, practically without food supplies, this was the last straw to the backs of Orozco and his followers, who had been much dissatisfied over the manner in which Madero had followed up the hard-fought victory of Juarez, in appointing cabinet officers with whom, they asserted, he consulted over state matters in preference to his army officers and his apparent neglect of the actual needs of his followers.

Grass Creeps Down Small Girl's Throat

Edith Serile Swallows "Fox Tail" and Physicians Needed to Save Her Life.

BERKELEY, May 13.—Little Edith Serile, a 4-year-old, was brought to the Roosevelt hospital yesterday afternoon with a foxtail caught in her throat. While playing in the yard of her home, 2028 McGee avenue, the child got the blade of grass down her larynx. It started to creep and caused the little one much suffering. On hearing the cries of the child, Mrs. Serile rushed to her aid and took her to the hospital where the grass was removed.

Accused 'Padders' To Be Prosecuted

Government Begins Attack on Men Charged with Swelling Census Illegally.

SEATTLE, May 13.—The United States Government has announced its intention of prosecuting Seattle and Tacoma census enumerators who are alleged to have made fraudulent returns. C. A. Newton, special assistant to the Attorney General, arrived yesterday from St. Louis and appeared in the federal court to resist the demurrer interposed in behalf of Dr. Furman J. for alleged "padding." United States Judge Donworth took the case under advisement.

To Raise \$10,000,000 For the Poor of Japan

TOKIO, May 13.—Prince Katsura, premier and minister of finance, is leading a movement to obtain a fund of \$10,000,000 to be used for the relief of the sick and poor of Japan.

SECURES PRISONER.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Detective Irving arrived here today from Los Angeles and took into custody Charles Wetherel, who is wanted there for the alleged passing of a fictitious check for \$300. Wetherel will be taken south tonight.

Father's Death Drives Student to Suicide

Hamilton Brown's Act Explained by Fellows; Was Noted Athlete.

PRINCETON, N. J., May 13.—Hamilton Brown, a Princeton junior who committed suicide in his dormitory room here yesterday, was a well-known athlete and held the intercollegiate record in the half-mile swim. According to his classmates Brown had been much depressed since the death, several months ago, of his father, a New York lawyer. His mental depression had been followed by attacks of illness, and is believed to explain his act.

PEACE PLANS ARE AGAIN REVIVED

Latest Proposition From Diaz
Surprises and Overjoys
the Rebels.

NEGOTIATIONS UNDER
WAY UNOFFICIALLY

Message From the President
Is Delayed in Mysterious
Manner.

JUAREZ, May 13.—Prospects for restoring peace in Mexico became noticeably bright here today when the explanation given by Minister Limantour in an Associated Press dispatch from Mexico City last night concerning President Diaz' real intention about continuing power was read by the officials of the provisional government. Most of the leaders were surprised to read that Judge Carrabaja, the federal envoy, had been sent a message by Limantour after the Diaz manifesto was issued and dissatisfaction with its contents was apparent, asking the rebels to state in what terms they wished the Diaz announcement to be made.

It is such a message was received by Carrabaja he was very secret about dividing that the message was the federal go-betweens who have been in the confidence of the Government on the other moves in the peace negotiations.

PEACE IS DELAYED.

Rebel leaders declared that had such a message reached them they would have resumed.

Speculation as to the message was extensive today, and it is considered likely in some quarters that the message may have been privately conveyed to Provisional President Madero without the knowledge of the other rebel peace commissioners. At any rate, the fact that the Government is disposed to be explicit in handling the questions which the revolutionists proposed to them is considered here as a development in the situation which may bear fruit immediately.

Very tempting, too, at the present time to the revolutionists is the proposition of the Government that it will consent to allow the rebels to name their own governors in the twenty-seven Mexican states without further ceremony.

As to the members of the cabinet, however, the Government is believed to be willing to allow the revolutionists to name them, but their candidates must be approved by the Government. It is not expected that any difficulty will arise about that proviso, as the rebels have some names in mind which the Government is believed to be disposed to accept.

NEGOTIATIONS RESUMED.

"I have the greatest hopes of succeeding this time," said Senor Braniff, one of the go-betweens for peace in Mexico today, after a conference about peace with Francisco I. Madero, Jr., said "I can state that negotiations have resumed unofficially." Braniff said formal negotiations would be renewed as soon as a solid footing was reached in the unofficial parleys. It was said that the Diaz question will be one of the most important questions to be discussed by the revolutionists. It was learned, would be treated as proposed before negotiations were interrupted.

IMPERIAL VALLEY ASKS FOR HELP

Wants Government to Protect
and Finish Work on
Bee River.

EL CENTRO, May 13.—Presidents of the chambers of commerce of the Imperial valley, Imperial county supervisors and other citizens today forwarded to United States Senator Works and the California delegation in Congress urgent requests that immediate steps be taken to maintain and protect the work already done by the United States government at Bee River in Mexico, the destruction of which is threatened by spring floods of the Colorado.

Petitioners urge that in addition a fund for the protection of the work, or appropriation be made to complete the work as soon as the floods pass, and that this be placed in the hands of President Taft at once.

OPPOSE TREATY WITH CANADIANS

Premier of British Columbia
Frowns on Reciprocity
Proposition.

NEW YORK, May 13.—"Both the people and the Legislature of British Columbia are almost unanimously opposed to reciprocity," as now proposed, said Richard McBride, premier of that Canadian province when he sailed today with Mrs. McBride for a two months' trip in England and the continent.

"I am thoroughly in accord with this opposition," the premier added.

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That great medicinal power, are raised to their highest efficiency, for purifying and enriching the blood, as they are combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is Peculiar to itself.

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WOMEN FLEE FROM THREATENED CANANEA

Autos Carry Refugees at Night From
Mexican Town to Safety Across
Border in Arizona

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true Latin fashion and the incipient rebellion came to an end with the understanding that the cabinet would cease to exist and that the troops would be looked after.

How deeply the rebellion permeated the ranks of the insurgents outside Orozco's command is not known. From talks with the soldiers themselves, it would appear that the dissatisfaction over the conduct of affairs in the last few days had become so widespread as to affect nearly the entire insurgent fighting force of Juarez.

**Poorly Fortified
Hermosillo Next in
Path of the Rebels**

MAGDALENA, State of Sonora, Mex., May 13.—With only 200 men under his command, unless reinforcements hastening to his assistance arrive in time, Colonel Pedro Ojeda must give successful battle to the insurgents to prevent Hermosillo, the capital of Sonora and the largest city in northwestern Mexico, falling into their hands.

The hill is defended with two rapid-fire guns. They present the only defense to the threatened attack. If the hill is captured by the rebels the control of the water supply would fall into their hands.

The federal troops nearest the city, at last reports, were the command of General Lorenzo Torres and consisted of five troops of cavalry, numbering about 100 men. These were there at the Colorado mining camp, about 80 miles to the south-east of Hermosillo. It is probable that this command is on the way to the support of Ojeda. The other body of federal troops upon which he can rely is the force under Colonel Diaz and Major Barron which evacuated Agua Prieta and is making its way toward the capital on a road which has been closed by progress by the necessity of rebuilding numerous bridges and in daily danger of attack by bands of rebels along the line.

The lowest estimate of the insurgents possible to muster for the assault is 2000 and the entire surrounding country is in insurrection, the force which will contend with the federal troops for control of the city may double this number.

Colonel Ojeda took a conspicuous part in the federal successes at San Rafael and Sahuaripa and should be able to receive reinforcements on the way the most serious battle of the rebellion is likely to take place at the Sonora capital.

**Insurrectos Wait
Artillery Shipments
From United States**

JUAREZ, May 13.—Provisional President Francisco I. Madero, Jr., today moved his capital from the municipal building to the customs house, the same structure in which the international handshakes of President Taft and President Diaz were celebrated last year. It is a red brick building much more commodious than the low frame municipal structure used for the last days and, in the opinion of the insurgents, an ideal place for the transaction of the business of the provisional government. The status quo was maintained today. Little progress was made either toward peace or war, Senor Braniff and Oregon, go-betweens for any peace negotiations that may be had, were expected to confer with Provisional President Madero before the day was over to lay before him a method for renewing the peace negotiations, but the officers of the provisional government have been so busy appointing officials and getting their governmental machinery organized that both peace and war parleys have been neglected. It is probable that tonight or tomorrow many of the troops there will be sent over the Mexican Northwestern, which the rebels have allowed to be repaired since they took Juarez.

At Casas Grandes, the terminus of the repaired part of the line, there are 1000 horses awaiting the insurgents. They will be able from there to reach Chihuahua in a short time should orders to that effect be given.

The city of Chihuahua is reported to be defended by numerous field guns and rapid-fire guns. The revolutionists, it is certain, will not attempt to attack the city before the arrival of consignments of artillery and ammunition which have been ordered by the United States government and the free shipment of arms had been made possible.

**120 U. S. Soldiers
Desert After Army
Reaches Border**

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Published reports of wholesale desertions of American troops in Texas to the Madero forces across the line received a quietus today when Adjutant-General Ainsworth made public figures showing that there were only thirty-seven desertions from all of the troops on the border and in San Antonio and Galveston during the first twelve days of May and 120 during the entire two months of March and April.

To further clear up doubt as to the extent which munitions of war can pass into Mexico ports controlled by the insurgents, officials of the administration stated positively that arms and ammunition and all supplies which are commercial shipments will be given freedom of transit, provided there is no indication that they are part of an enterprise fostered on United States soil against the government of Mexico.

**100 Federals and
15 Rebels Killed in
Battle of Juarez**

JUAREZ, Mex., May 13.—Something near definite figures of the casualties of

the three days' fighting in Juarez this week have been reached by a careful checking of the burials and of the hospital, both here and in El Paso, by Provisional Governor Abram Gonzales.

The insurgent loss is reported at 15 killed and about 50 wounded. The federal loss is given as 100 killed and 127 wounded. This includes not only the insurgents and federals, but the volunteers who fought with the federals in Juarez and a number of citizens shot in the streets or in their homes during the battle.

According to Governor Gonzales 31 bodies were picked up and buried after the fighting in the streets of Juarez had ceased and the federals themselves had buried about a dozen previous to the surrender. Since that time eight or ten bodies have been found in the little adobe buildings that served as temporary forts for small parties of federals and insurgents during the gradual advance of the rebel forces into the city.

The larger number of federals were killed or wounded when they retreated to the barracks Wednesday morning from the church, jail and municipal buildings. They were shot down by dozens of the rebel sharpshooters when they ran into the streets.

The insurgents were supplied with small dynamite bombs, made of four-inch sections of gas pipe, capped and filled with slugs. They did deadly execution, but numbers of the insurgents were killed or wounded in their daring attempt to place or throw these bombs in vital spots.

**Navarro Permitted
to Leave Juarez and
Enter United States**

JUAREZ, May 13.—General Navarro, leader of the defeated federal forces at Juarez, against whose life threats were made this morning by angry insurgents, was personally escorted to the river shortly before 12 o'clock by Provisional President Madero. Navarro forded the river to the American side on a horse. Navarro was followed into the river at a point above Washington Park by mounted ranchman and his only escort and they disappeared from sight on the American side. It is not known in which part of El Paso the federal leader has taken refuge.

Threats against the life of Navarro had made all morning by angry insurgents, who were now gathered in hundreds. General Navarro had been given quarters at the residence of Francisco I. Madero, Jr., provisional president of Mexico, and the threat against the life of the captured federal leader was quickly communicated to Senor Madero. The latter quickly called his automobile and he and Navarro were whirled off toward the river at top speed.

SUFFRAGE CAUSE IS SIDETRACKED

Misunderstanding Cause of the
Delay in Bringing Up the
Matter in South.

LONG BEACH, Cal., May 13.—An attempt to bring the suffrage question before the State federation of women's societies at the morning session today failed because of a misunderstanding. A motion offered by Mrs. L. W. Cornwall instructing the resolutions committee to report on suffrage was voted down. Delegates afterward stated they voted against it under the belief that Mrs. Cornwall was an anti-suffragist and saw an opportunity to get action favorable to her view of the question. Mrs. Cornwall was asked after the vote, that she was heartily in favor of votes for women.

The nominating committee today presented the following names for officers: President, Mrs. Russell J. Waters, Los Angeles; re-election, vice-president, Mrs. Robert Hargrove, San Joaquin; vice-president-at-large, Mrs. E. G. Denniston, San Francisco; recording secretary, Mrs. F. E. Unholz, Ontario.

**Gaynor Clamps Sunday
Lid Tight on Gotham**

Offers \$10 "for Evidence of Traffic
in Liquor On Sabbath
in Any Barroom."

NEW YORK, May 13.—Nowhere in the country is the law against Sunday liquor selling being enforced so thoroughly as in New York, according to Mayor Gaynor. He makes this statement in a letter referring to a preacher's request for information, "Never was the traffic in liquor in this city stopped on Sunday until I became mayor," he says. "I have stopped it absolutely. I will give you \$10 for evidence of traffic in liquor on Sunday in any barroom."

**Make the Liver
Do its Duty**

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.
Cure Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Distress after Eating.
Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.
Genuine number Signature

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REBELS GAIN BLOODLESS VICTORY

After Long Negotiations the
Federals Agree to Sur-
render Cananea.

The Troops of Diaz to March
From Town With All
Honors of War.

CANANEA, Sonora, Mexico, May 13.—Cananea will be evacuated by its federal garrison at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the federal troops marching out with the honors of war. The town was surrendered at 11 a. m., after a conference lasting through the night and until that hour.

**Women Flee From
Threatened Cananea
Across the Border**

NACO, Mexico, May 13.—Throughout last night a score of automobiles sent from Arizona border points were conveying women and children out of Cananea in anticipation of a rebel attack upon that important mining camp. An Associated Press correspondent, who made the sixty-mile journey by motor car from Naco to Cananea last night, returning before dawn today, found the populace of Cananea calm and the large number of Americans there prepared for any eventuality. The men refused to utilize the automobiles to make their way to the border, leaving the vehicles entirely at the disposal of the women and children.

REFUSE TO SURRENDER.

Juan Cabral demanded the surrender of Cananea at 2:30 p. m. yesterday. The federal garrison, numbering 200 men, commanded by Mayor Arnold and 200 men under Colonel Chiapas, who had just arrived from Agua Prieta, refused to surrender. Cabral then sent a courier to American Consul George Wiswell, advising that the Americans in the camp be removed to a place of safety. The rebel leader was especially solicitous as to the women and children and said that he would grant time for their safe removal. An appeal was at once sent to the American authorities for towns for automobiles, the railroad having been destroyed between Cananea and Naco, as well as the line from Del Rio to Nogales. The first of these automobiles arrived at 9 o'clock and before midnight more than a score had come. No excitement attended the exodus, the women appearing to enjoy the adventure.

**Cananea Refugees
Encounter Troops
But Are Not Harmed**

BISBEE, Ariz., May 13.—Bisbee's hotels are crowded with refugees from Cananea. The last automobile load arrived at 3 o'clock this morning. They encountered large bodies of rebels but were not molested.

An order for additional vehicles to bring up the women and children was issued. This is believed to mean that an armistice has been arranged between the garrison and Cabral, the rebel leader. The latest advice received from Cananea stated that the federal troops were first sent to the town of Bisbee, where they were to remain until the order for the receipt of this news leads to the belief that Cabral has surrendered himself to the federal forces.

Refugees who have arrived here report no suffering in the camp because of the severing of rail communication between Cananea and the border. The Americans in Cananea were not apprehensive of the town's probable capture by the rebels whose leaders have given assurance that American interests will be fully protected.

**GREAT CROWD SEES
AEROPLANES IN RACE**

BRIGHTON, England, May 13.—Graham Gilmour and Oscar Morrison engaged in an aeroplane race from Shoreham to Redditch, a distance of ten miles today. Gilmour won by 200 yards. A great crowd witnessed the finish.

**CORNELL FRESHMEN
DEFEATED ON TRACK**

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.—The Pennsylvania University freshmen track team defeated the Cornell field team in a dual meet on Franklin field this afternoon, 60 points to 57.

**'Cascarets' End All
the Miserable Days**

A ten-cent box insures you against a Sick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation or a Bad Stomach for a long time.

Primitive men did not need Cascarets. They lived outdoors, ate plenty of fruit, and all of their food was coarse. We modern people are different. We exercise too little, eat little fruit, and our food is too fine, too rich.

We can't have the bowels clogged up and keep well. It means that the food retained there decays. The decay creates poisons. And those poisons are sucked into the blood through the very ducts intended to suck in the nutriment. So we must make our choice. We must live, to an extent, like the primitive man, else we must eat Cascarets.

Cascarets do what the right food would do, what plenty of exercise does. The effect is as natural from one as the other. The question is one of convenience. If you choose Cascarets, take them as you take food, not in large doses rarely, but a tablet at a time. That is the way to keep well. Get a 10-cent box now.

DALTONS LOSE CASE AGAINST THE CITY

Suit Brought to Obtain Judgment Thrown Out
of Court.

Judge Waste Declares State
Has the Right to
Waterfront.

Superior Judge William H. Waste yesterday afternoon threw out of court on a demurrer the suit instituted by the Henry Dalton & Sons Company against the City of Oakland, the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Consolidated Railway (Key Route), and the Southern Pacific Company, for a permanent injunction to stop the development of the Key Route Basin, which waterfront the construction of a seawall in front of plaintiff company's iron foundry on the waterfront. The Daltons were given ten days to amend their complaint.

The Dalton concern, of which County Assessor Henry B. Dalton is the head, has conducted its four-story and Cedar streets for a number of years and at one time made use of a small wharf extending into the bay. In the injunction suit it complained that it had title to the upland and some of the tide land in the Key Route basin and that the water transportation privileges which it has enjoyed for more than sixty-two years.

STATE'S RIGHT.

In overruling the demurrer Judge Waste held that the state had the right to sell to the city the riparian and tide lands of the waterfront and that the city under the title thus acquired was privileged to enter into franchises with the railway corporations to develop and utilize the waterfront for their business. The Dalton Company also has pending against the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Consolidated Railway and the Southern Pacific Company a suit to quiet title, involving the same points at issue in the injunction action, to the waterfront holdings, together with a complaint for damages for \$331,500 and for \$3200 a month from the date of the commencement of the action "until the abatement of said nuisance (the seawall) and the removal thereof from said lands." Judge Waste yesterday heard arguments on a demurrer to this complaint, filed by defendant corporations, and while he did not pass upon it, he intimated that he would also dismiss these proceedings. This morning he gave defendant railroads ten days in which to file their answer, after overruling the demurrer.

DIETZ TO SERVE LIFE IN PRISON

Wisconsin Man Who Slew to
Protect Rights Found
Guilty.

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ing the reading of the verdict today. The court then asked John Dietz to stand up. "Mr. Dietz," said the judge, "have you anything to say before sentence is passed?" Dietz calmly faced the judge. "Do you suppose," he asked, "looking straight at me and yet it is the state that sends me to jail. It is the state that has come in here, in a court of law, and told the jury that I was a bad man, when I was not allowed and have never been allowed to tell what started this whole trouble."

JUDGE OBDURATE.

"It is the state that assailed my children and took one away to jail and put a bullet in another—a young girl."

"I cannot see, Mr. Dietz, that that has a thing to do with the killing of Oscar Harp," said Judge Reid. The judge then sentenced Dietz to prison for life.

John Dietz made the assault on the Harp family, although the motive probably has never been followed by an argument like the one heard this morning in the little country court.

V. W. James of Eau Claire, special attorney for the state, suggested to the convicted man that he get an attorney, draw up the motion for proper legal form and ask the court for a ten days' stay in which to file the exception.

Dietz ignored the suggestion and plunged headlong into his denunciation of the "lumber trust." The court also advised Dietz to get an attorney, draw up the motion for proper legal form and ask the court for a ten days' stay in which to file an exception.

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HUNDREDS OF BOY SCOUTS ON HIKE

Lads to Rally Around Campfire and Sleep in the Open.

RICHMOND, May 13.—Hundreds of California Boy Scouts of the San Francisco and Alameda county organizations made the "hike" to Richmond today and were given the outing of their lives by Scout Major Dr. Blake and his fellow officers in Richmond.

All day the youngsters rambled about the city, and with local scouts for guides, under the direction of their various scout officers, visited the factories and refineries and other places of interest.

Camp was pitched near Richmond and tonight there will be a great camp fire. Many of the boys to remain all night. These are equipped with blankets for outdoor sleeping.

The Buffalo scouts had the necessary camp kitchen equipment and several patrol brought along signal flags. The Columbia Park Drum Corps was also on hand.

SCIENCE AND PEACE UNITED BY SPEAKERS

CHICAGO, May 13.—The inseparable association of science and world peace was the theme of speakers at the presentation of the first Willard Gibbs medal to Dr. Svante Arrhenius, the Swedish scientist, by the Chicago section of the American Chemical Society last night. Professor Arrhenius is director of the Noble Foundation and also professor of the University of Stockholm.

By reason of his executive connection with the Noble Foundation, Dr. Arrhenius was asked by Harry Olsen, chief justice of the Chicago Municipal Court, in an address to consider President Taft for a peace decoration provided his present treaty negotiations between the United States and Great Britain are successful.

CLUB TO ENTERTAIN

ALAMEDA, May 13.—The Shakespeare Club has issued invitations for a reception to be held Saturday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock at Adelphi hall. An entertaining program has been arranged for the evening.

SLEEPLESSNESS

Its Cause and Remedy

Do you know what it is to lie awake nights, fidgety, restless, tossing about, counting 100 backwards, or sheep jumping over a fence, all in a vain endeavor to lose yourself in slumberland and get the rest which you so much need?

No one, unless they have been troubled with insomnia, can begin to realize its horrors and how wearing it is.

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GAVE BRASS RING FOR LOAN OF \$5

Pathetic Tale Told by Stranger Melts the Heart of Landlady.

A stranger who said he had come to Oakland in search of his missing wife, rented a room yesterday from Mrs. Ralph Morgan of 1223 Grove street. He told a pathetic story of the desertion of his wife, and of the trouble he had in caring for his children since her departure. He said he hoped to induce his wife to return to him again.

On starting out to search for the woman, he explained that he was temporarily out of funds, and borrowed \$5 from Mrs. Morgan, giving her the wedding ring as security, and expressing his sorrow in having to part with the pledge. He failed to return for the ring, however, and upon investigation Mrs. Morgan discovered that it was brass.

Two men broke into the Gas Kitchen in Thirteenth street at an early hour this morning and in smashing open the telephone box, touched off the burglar alarm. They escaped from the place, but were pursued by the night watchman and several policemen, who were called to the place by the alarm.

ELUDE PURSUERS.

The two burglars were pursued for two blocks, several shots being fired at them. They escaped into Jefferson Park, and succeeded in eluding their pursuers. Nothing was taken. Al Schoening of 170 Sixth street, told a strange story to the police this morning of being held up and robbed in broad daylight at Eleventh and Alce streets by a man and woman. The robbers obtained five cents from the robbery. Schoening described the hold-up as follows:

"I was walking down Alce street yesterday between 11 o'clock and noon when a woman stepped up behind me and tapped me on the shoulder. I turned and was confronted by her escort, who displayed a star and proceeded to search my pockets. He took my purse, which contained five cents, took the money, and threw the purse into the street. They then left me. Both were good looking."

ATTEMPT TO SAVE MAN IS FRUITLESS

Couple Hear Last Cries of the Victim of Drowning in the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Hearing the last despairing cries of a drowning man, but unable to reach him in time, W. F. Mathews, chief engineer, and Michael Lupton, watchman, on the steamer Spokane, made futile efforts to effect a rescue early this morning. Whether the man who met death in the waters of the bay jumped from a pier at the foot of Pacific street or accidentally stumbled overboard, is not known.

Charles Miller, a watchman, believes him to be a soldier dressed in civilian clothes. After his cries for help were heard and Mathews and Lupton had endeavored to find him in the darkness, a hat was found on the pier and this was later sent to the Harbor station for identification. It is the only clue to the man's identity.

JOHN KNOTTS JUMPS BAIL IN WINDY CITY

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—John Knotts, alias Knox, arrested in Chicago for complicity in the alleged robbery of Maxwell Gregg, a local hotel man who lost \$150 in a bunco game, jumped his bail in the windy city, according to a dispatch received here today. Following his arrest Knotts was released on \$150 cash bail and Detective Sergeant Edward Gibson was sent East to bring him back.

On the officer's arrival an investigation was had and Captain of Detective Wog discovered that the man had died. If he is not found today Gibson will come home without him.

WEALTHY SHEEPMAN THROWN INTO FIRE

EL PASO, Tex., May 13.—Fred Scholten, wealthy sheepman of Lincoln county, New Mexico, is reported dying from serious burns. In an altercation with his herders he was overpowered and thrown into the campfire. The herders are reported under arrest.

DR. A. S. KELLY TO TOUR EUROPE IN AUTOMOBILE



DR. A. S. KELLY, who left today on a four months' visit in Europe, where he will study.

Dr. A. S. Kelly, school director-elect No. 1, left this morning for New York city, from where he will sail next week on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm for Southampton. He will be away for the next four months and spend the greater part of the time in London and Vienna, taking up special study in surgery in company with Dr. E. R. Sill, who has been in Europe since last December. Upon the completion of their research work both surgeons will make an extended auto tour of the continent, spending most of the time in France, Switzerland and Spain. A short time ago Dr. Kelly shipped a new runabout to Dr. Sill to be used on the tour which they will make, accompanied by Mrs. Sill. The travelers will return to Oakland about the middle of September.

TO STOP RUSH TO DINING CAR

Just Order Your Meals in Advance When You Buy Railroad Ticket.

CHICAGO, May 13.—It is possible now to order your dining car meals in advance when planning a railroad journey, making selections from the railroad menu while purchasing tickets and making sleeping-car reservations.

This is the latest innovation in railroad passenger service and was put into effect yesterday on a Western railroad. No longer need the passenger heed the cry of "first-or-last call" for dinner in the dining car, by the way.

From now on, it is announced, the city ticket office will be supplied at 10 o'clock every morning with the menu which will be used that evening. Purchasers of tickets during the day may order their dinner for the evening when securing their accommodations.

ST. MARY'S PLANS NEW SYSTEM OF DEGREES

A new system of honor degrees will be put in practice at St. Mary's college with the graduating class this year.

The degree of bachelor of arts will be graded as follows: "Maxima Cum laude," "Magna cum laude" and "Cum laude." The fourth grade diplomas will carry no Latin encomium.

The students eligible to receive these additional honors are: William Lowry, Sylvester Andriano, William Davis, William Burke, Louis Davila, Timothy Shea, Joseph Callaghan, Clifford Russell, Thomas McCarthy, Edward Martin, Thomas Hogan, Francis McDonald, Charles Moul and Frank Justin McCarthy.

WM. J. DOUGHERTY OF SAN JOSE IS DEAD

SAN JOSE, May 13.—William J. Dougherty, circulation manager of the San Jose Mercury and Herald, died last night at his home on South Tenth street after an attack of cirrhosis of the liver. Dougherty was a brother of Hugh J. and T. R. Dougherty, and the family have been prominent in Catholic church affairs for years. He was a son of the late P. Dougherty, a pioneer of this section. T. R. Dougherty is a police judge.

WHEELER'S BODY FOUND.

VALLEJO, Cal., May 13.—The remains of Ira W. Wheeler, a San Francisco contractor, who was drowned when a small boat in which he was sailing capsized near Benicia, April 30, were found yesterday in the bay, near Dead Man's Cove, between Heer and Benicia. Wheeler was a well known member of several fraternal orders.

PILOTS MAY LOSE THEIR LICENSES

Rogers and Johnson of Ferry Boats to Have a Hearing.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Captain W. Rogers of the ferryboat Bay City and First Officer J. A. Johnson of the Berkeley will have to defend themselves before Inspectors Bulger and Bolles Tuesday on the charge of negligence in reference to the collision of the ferryboats which occurred on the bay the evening of April 7. The inspectors have the power to deprive them of their licenses.

Captain Rogers is an old man and would in a short time have been retired from the Southern Pacific Company on pension. Since the date of the collision he has not had a command and the railroad corporation will await action of the inspectors before deciding whether the will return to his work.

SHIFT BLAME.

At the preliminary investigation Captain Rogers and First Officer Johnson each attempted to place the blame on the other's shoulders. One would testify to giving certain signals and whistles and the other would deny it.

At the time of the collision there could have been no confusion by either navigating officer in regard to lights as, though it was 7 o'clock in the evening, it was not yet dark. Only a few days previous the inspectors had ordered new whistles on the boats as at recent investigations those charged with negligence had claimed that they could not hear the other steamer's whistle. As a result of the collision the Berkeley was laid up a month and the repairs to the hull of the ferryboat cost the Southern Pacific Company several thousand dollars.

BOYS' CLUB BAND TO GIVE CONCERT

The Oakland Boys' Club Concert Band will give a concert tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Clinton Park, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, East Oakland. The concert will last for an hour and the band will be led by the young conductor, V. Eugene Ferry.

The Oakland Boys' Club was established in 1901, and has, besides its band, a drum and bugle corps, library, gymnasium, canteen shop, etc. It is undernominational.

The officers of the club are: President, H. D. Cushing; Secretary, John P. Cook; superintendent, F. E. Mummert.

ABANDON PLAN OF ELECTING GALLINGER

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Republican leaders in the Senate have abandoned for the present the idea of electing a successor to Senator Frye as president pro tem. The seven ballots taken Thursday convinced them of the impossibility of electing Senator Gallinger, the majority caucus candidate, at this time.

OLD-TIMERS TO MEET IN SUBSTITUTE BOUT

CHICAGO, May 13.—Danny Goodman and Tommy Garra have been scheduled to meet before the Hammond Athletic Club at Hammond, Ind., May 18, to take the place of the Clabby-Brown bout, which was called off on account of the injuries to Brown's hands in a recent bout.

SOLDIER IS SHOT.

EL PASO, Tex., May 13.—Private Renford of Troop L, Fourth United States Cavalry, was shot in the stomach and probably fatally wounded last night by Policeman Fletcher of this city. The shooting is alleged to have been the result of an assault upon the officer by the soldier and some associates.

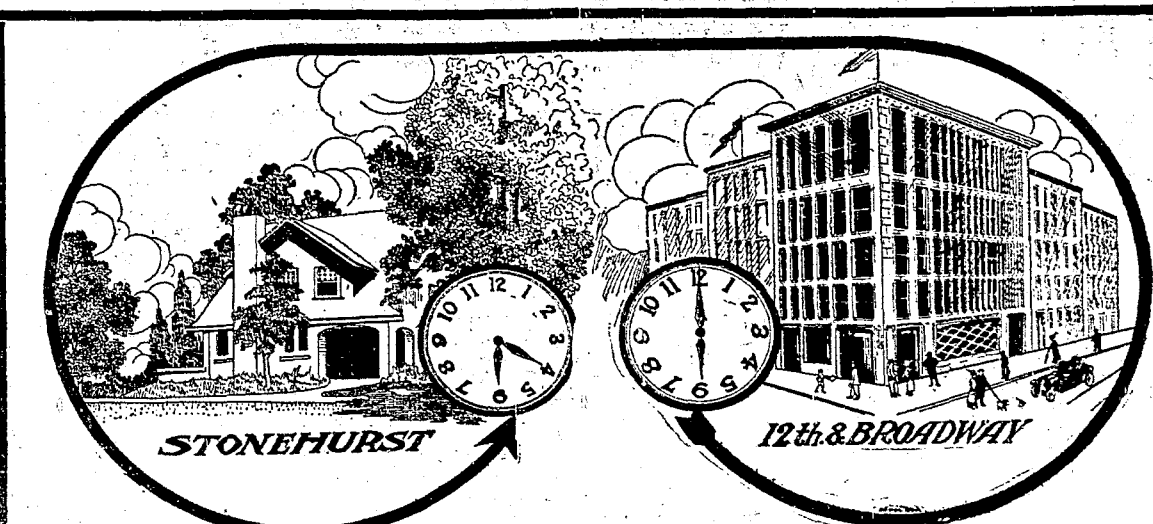
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SUFFRAGE LEAGUE OFFERS PRIZE

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A prize of \$50 has been offered for the best design for a poster to be used in the present equal suffrage campaign for votes for women. The contest is open for all. The design must be proportioned to a poster 24 inches, finished. Yellow must predominate, but two other colors may be used in the design. All designs must be submitted without signature and be accompanied by a sealed envelope enclosing the real name and address of the artist, to be opened by the judges after their decision. For identification an assumed name is to be written on the back of the design and the envelope.

No further information is to be given the contestants. The results of the competition will be published Sunday, June 25, and designs will be returned at owner's risk if adequate postage is enclosed. Contest closes June 15, noon. All designs must be received before that time, addressed to Prize Poster Contest, headquarters of the College Equal Suffrage League, 350 Post street, San Francisco.

DEGREES ARE GIVEN BY MEDICAL COLLEGE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—The commencement exercises of the class of 1911 of Cooper Medical college were held last evening in the college auditorium. Degrees were conferred by the president of the college, Edward R. Taylor, and an address was delivered by Rev. Charles F. Aged.

The members of the graduating class are: Benjamin Howard Bush, Edmund Wilbur, Charles Blanchard Caldwell, Clinton Darwin Collins, Achille Compagnon, Peter Joseph Cuneo, James Arthur Cutting, Edgar Dale Downing, Howard Augustus Gallup, Ronald Paul Giovanni, Allen Earl Gray, Everett Edwin Gray, Edward Robert Guinan, James Augustus Hadley, Channing Hall, Robert William Hartwell, Allen Richmond Howard, Jay Jacobs, Lester Olin Kinderlin, Claude Cleveland Long, Frank Brickhead Reardon, Maurice Joseph Seld and Kenneth Jamison Staniford.

PETALUMA Y. M. I. VISITED BY OFFICERS

PETALUMA, May 13.—Petaluma council, No. 9, Young Men's Institute, held a reunion last night and was visited by the grand officers, among whom were: Grand President, S. J. Fugazi of San Francisco; W. J. Hennessey, supreme grand president of the Y. M. I.; Attorney Stanislaus A. Riley of San Francisco. Speeches were made by Grand President Fugazi, Father Leahy, Attorney W. J. Hennessey, F. A. Meyer, S. A. Riley, Father O'Shea and J. V. Long.

An elaborate banquet was served at the close of the meeting.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEHEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowels of children of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Wishart's Drug Store, Tenth and Washington streets.

WOMAN MISSING WITH HER FAMILY

Husband Reports Disappearance of Mrs. Florence Tobin.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—T. A. Tobin of 603 Hayes street notified the police this morning of the disappearance of his wife and two children on April 21. He offers no explanation as to a possible theory of their present whereabouts, but requests that officers be detailed to investigate.

The wife, Mrs. Florence Tobin, is 47 years old, and five feet six inches tall. On the day of her disappearance, her husband says she wore a gray suit and coat and a white straw hat. She had with her a son, Thomas, aged 15, and daughter, Ethel, aged 11.

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SUICIDE FOUND IN VACANT LOT

The Corpse Lay Three Days Before Being Taken Away.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—For three days an unidentified man is ydied in a lot at Green and Battery streets within a stone's throw of passersby. Children playing in the lot yesterday thought him sleeping, and was not until a stable man chanced upon the body this morning that it was discovered that he was dead.

All marks of identification had been destroyed before the unknown drank the contents of a four-ounce bottle of carbolic acid which was found near him. He appears to have been from Philadelphia, is of German appearance and attired in a blue suit of clothes. He was about 45 years old and of medium height.

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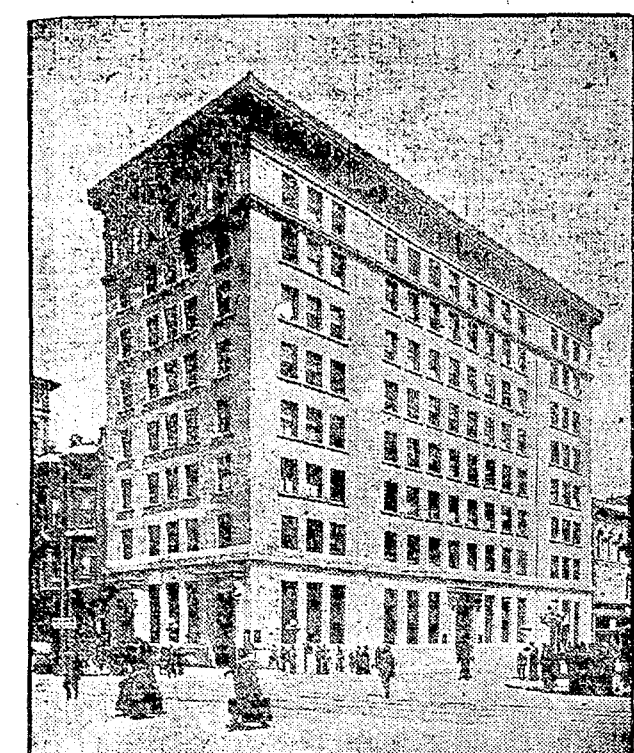
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CITY MAY ABANDON THE EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Alameda Considers the Plan to Treat Patients at Local Sanitarium.

MISS EDNA SIMPSON IS APPOINTED TO POSITION

City Attorney St. Sure Will Not Act in the Bannister Case.

ALAMEDA, May 13.—The proposition of abandoning the city emergency hospital and arranging for treatment for patients at the Alameda Sanitarium was discussed by the city council in committee session last evening. It was decided to refer the matter to the health committee to investigate the cost of treatment of emergency cases at the sanitarium by city physicians and the city may name.

Councilman William Hammond, Jr., stated that Dr. St. Sure had reported that every case treated at the emergency hospital had cost the city \$500 per month. The health committee is to investigate the cost of treatment of emergency cases at the sanitarium by city physicians and the city may name.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

Miss Edna Simpson was appointed to a position in City Attorney St. Sure's office as a stenographer for the month of May. City Assessor and Auditor F. J. Croll asked for the appointments of Ernest Christensen as city clerk and deputy auditor. The appointments were ratified.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

It was moved to amend the ordinance making Dr. Tom Krumb supervisor of the city pound. The duties have now been delegated to Councilman F. L. Krumb. The council accepted an invitation to attend the Cherry Festival at San Leandro.

TO OPEN STREET.

Councilman Krumb introduced the matter of the opening of Fago street from Central avenue to the bay and stated that the condemnation proceedings had been completed. The city council will probably have to take action on the matter.

REFUTE CHARGE.

The statement made by Councilman Krumb that the city council had decided to open Fago street was refuted by Councilman Krumb. He stated that the city council had decided to open Fago street from Central avenue to the bay.

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2nd class cabin only. Will call at Bologna.
TWO CRUISES. Duration by the 10,000-ton
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May 21, 1911. The second
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STIMSON TO HEAD DEPARTMENT OF WAR

Business Reasons Given for the Resignation of Dickinson.

PRESIDENT QUICK IN CHOOSING SUCCESSOR

Democratic Affiliations of the Former Official May Have Caused Action.

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made after only a few days' consideration, Senator Root and other leaders were consulted and gave their qualified approval. Former President Roosevelt was not called into conference, but there is no question he approves the naming to such an important post of a man for whom he worked tooth and nail in the recent governorship campaign.

The position of assistant treasurer in New York, which has been given to the Sherman-Barnes-Woodruff faction, while not so important as that given to the Roosevelt-Parsons faction, is believed here to be a move in the direction of peace that would count for much in the future. Friends of the President were pleased over the political outlook.

Unofficially Washington discussed with relish the resignation of the secretary of war. Unofficially also there were those who found other reasons than that given in his letter.

IS DEMOCRAT.
Dickinson is a Democrat. His presence in the cabinet of a Republican President has not been looked upon with favor by some of the President's political advisers who were of the opinion that the office of secretary of war should be held by one of the President's own party and who also pointed out that Dickinson might prove a source of embarrassment when the 1912 presidential campaign begins.

There were others who thought Dickinson had incurred some criticisms by his conduct of the war office. As was pointed out recently, there have been reports of friction over the Mexican situation between the State Department and the war department.

IN SOME QUARTERS IT WAS ASSERTED that Secretary of State Knox was being overshadowed by Dickinson and there were reports that the former contemplated resigning, but these met with official denials. There had been no hint that Dickinson contemplated retirement.

DICKINSON'S LETTER.

Following is the correspondence between President Taft and Secretary Dickinson:
"WASHINGTON, D. C., April 28, 1911.
"Dear Mr. President:—As my affairs have recently changed as to require my personal attention in Tennessee, I have the honor to tender my resignation as secretary of war, to take effect as soon as may be compatible with the public interest. I cannot express to you how much I appreciate the honor and confidence which you have bestowed upon me and the uniform kindness with which you have always treated me.

"The memory of having enjoyed the privilege of being associated with you and my colleagues of the cabinet in the discussion of so many great questions affecting the welfare of the country will always be cherished by me as inestimable.

"With all good wishes for you, and with the hope that one so able, patriotic and devoted, may long be spared for the services of his country, I am, very respectfully,
(Signed) "J. M. DICKINSON."

PRESIDENT ANSWERS.

"The President replied:
"The White House, Washington, D. C., May 6, 1911.
"My Dear Secretary Dickinson:—I have your letter of resignation and am very sorry that personal considerations, as you have explained them at length to me, leave me no alternative and require me to accept of it. Still, I am glad you have signified to me that if I thought your leaving the War Department would embarrass me in view of conditions in Mexico, you would request to be allowed to continue in the personal interests and continue in office.

"While I fully appreciate the high sense of duty that prompts your offer, I am glad to say that recent developments have not created the conditions that make your withdrawal now any more of an embarrassment than at a later date, or justifying my asking from you such sacrifice.

"In continuing to a severance of our official relations, I wish to tell you how satisfactory your administration of your great department has been. It involved the peace and control of the army, the government of the Philippines and Porto Rico, the construction of the Panama canal, and, incidentally, the government of the canal zone. In every way your work has been admirable and we owe you to the gratitude of your countrymen.

"Personally, I wish to thank you for what you have done and for your invaluable sense of loyalty to the administration, to express my deep regret that our delightful intimacy growing out of our official family relation is to end. I sincerely hope that you may be able to resume success in the personal life that now claims your earnest efforts. Believe that you carry with you into private life my highest respect and affectionate regard.
(Signed) "WILLIAM H. TAFT."
"J. M. Dickinson, Secretary of War.
"P. S. I make this acceptance to take effect at the expiration of the term of your successor, which, at your request, I hope to secure May 15, 1911."
Secretary Dickinson on May 6 wrote: "Dear Mr. President:—When I offered my resignation to you, I had no right to expect to be restored in Mexico. The situation is now so alarming that it might be unwise to make a change in the office. I have no right to resign and withdraw my resignation, and if I could, would not take a step that would embarrass you. I want to say that in considering it, please ignore all personal reasons advanced by me to support it, and be guided alone by considerations of public interest. This is not to further embarrass you, but in view of the gravity of the situation, to put myself entirely at the public service, regardless of personal considerations.
(Signed) "J. M. DICKINSON."

STIMSON GRATIFIED.

YOUNGER MEMBERS OF SMART SET AT DANCE

Prettily Decorated Home Club Is Scene of Enjoyable Party.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS HOSTESSES AT BALL

Mothers Assist Maids at the Reception of the Many Guests.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the home season was given last night at the Home Club when the younger members of local society were present in full force and danced from 8:30 until midnight. The ballroom, banked in greens and palms, formed an attractive background for the charming gowns worn. The guests included nearly 150 of the younger set, most of whom are still at high school and have not yet made their formal debut.

PRETTY FEATURE.

A pretty and picturesque feature of last night's dance was the paper streamers which mingled with the dresses of the dancers and formed a bewildering mass of color.

LIST OF GUESTS.

The evening was most successful and enjoyed by the following young people:
Dorothy Adams, Edith Adams, Helen Acked, Lillian Adams, Maggie Black, Gertrude Baker, Margaret Bassett, Anna Barbour, Katherine Bangs, Margaret Beaton, Katherine Bousfield, Nina Clay, Kate Collins, Bill Cohen, Clara Coffin, Lillian Campbell, Helen Cole, Phillis Capwell, Madeline Chambers, Thoda Cockcroft, Dorothy Capwell, Charlotte Cockcroft, Mae Du Val, Helen Downer, Edith Dunham, Ebel Davis, Helen Dabney, Dudley Egan, Grace Ewing, Allene Edoff, Martha Earl, Gladys Fisher, Marian Fillins, Rachel Genung, Sue Greenwood, Helen Goodall, Carmen Ghrardelli, Margaret Garthwaite, Helen High, Beth Hort, Marjorie Hyland, Marian Hook, Gertrude Hough, Hazel Ingles, Loraine Jordan, Gertrude Joseph, Phillis Lovell, Margaret Moseley, Marion Miller, Edna Musser, Marjorie Merritt, Mildred Munnell, Edna McGowan, Dorothy McBrye, Isabel Nason, Virginia De Neuf, Elsie Outram, Elsie Foster, Janet Palmer, Lucille Plan, Florence Robinson, Dorothy Reynolds, Doris Rodolph, Madeline Ross, Lina Shamp, Allison Stone, L. Taylor, Grace Vesper, Roxana Webb, Helen Weaver, Edith Wright, Linda White, Margaret Warner, Miss Zinfuss.
Messrs.: Billy Alander, Hal Angus, Bob Adams, Sam Barbour, Harold Baker, Horace Baum, Edmund Bell, Robert Bruen, Henry Breck, Earl Breck.

DAUGHTER ARRIVES IN KOENIG HOME

Max Koenig of the real estate firm of Koenig & Kroll is being congratulated today over the arrival of a little daughter, the second child, in his home, at 948 Fallon street.

newly appointed Secretary of War at his summer home here last night.

UTICA, N. Y., May 13.—Congressman Charles E. Millington was informed last night that his home in the city of his birth was being sold by the president as assistant treasurer. He said:

"This is a great surprise to me and the appointment comes unsought. I did not know any one was interested in my half and had no intention of President Taft's action. I am grateful to my friends, and will give the appointment favorable consideration."

WOULD BE WITH FAMILY.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 13.—Desiring to return from public life when he could, Mr. Stimson said he would spend the remainder of his days with his family and in quiet business pursuits was requested to resign as secretary of war. This statement was made here today by one of the secretaries of the War Department. Dickinson was 60 years of age last January and his retirement from the Taft cabinet would be a considerable loss to the government.

ROOT CARRIES MENAGE.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The new secretary of war, Henry T. Stimson was formerly a law partner of Senator Elihu Root. Root, at one time secretary of war and it was Senator Root who first asked Stimson informally if the portfolio would be acceptable to him. That was last Thursday and a few days later there followed an appointment with Mr. Root, secretary of the president when the formal offers were made and accepted.

Until then he cannot say when he expects to go to Washington.

THOUSANDS LINE COURSE OF COLLEGE CITY PAGEANT

Many Floats in Line and Horsewomen Are Features; Fete to Close in Blaze of Glory

BERKELEY, May 13.—Ten thousand people this afternoon witnessed the floral pageant which was the feature of the closing day of the flower festival. The parade was the first of its kind ever held in this city. The vast throngs which crowded the sidewalks, windows and roofs of the principal buildings along the route of the procession cheered the participants in the parade. The city was in holiday attire.

Shortly after 3 o'clock the procession started from Shattuck and University avenues, moving south to Blake street, countermarching north to Durant avenue and thence east on Durant avenue to Telegraph avenue. Along Telegraph avenue the college contingent gathered and cheered the marchers. Proceeding down Telegraph avenue the parade turned down Bancroft way to Shattuck avenue, and north along Shattuck avenue to pass the reviewing stand where the board of trade, city government, chamber of commerce members, and representatives from the various bay cities. Among them were:

Mayor Beverly Hodghead, Mayor Frank K. Mott of Oakland, President A. Howard Hermann of the Berkeley Board of Education, Secretary John Drury of the Chamber of Commerce, Colonel Wiser, Presidio commandant; President C. C. Juster of the Chamber of Commerce, the Supervisors, the Council, President Don Roberts of the Merchants' Exchange, Secretary A. A. Denison of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, W. E. Woolsey, B. J. Bither, Thomas Fallon of the Manufacturers' Association, representatives of the faculty of the university, Principal Gilbert N. Brink of the high school and representatives of the press.

After passing the reviewing stand the parade countermarched south to Alston way and west to Milvia street and Alston way.

HEADED BY NAVAL CADETS.

The procession was headed by two full companies of the United States naval cadets which formed the advance guard, being followed by the Naval Cadet band of forty pieces in full dress uniforms. Behind the band was the automobile of the officers of the day, O. W. H. Pratt and H. R. Brown, riding with Miss Doris Schnabel and Miss Inez A. Allen. The machine was profusely decorated with garlands of red roses, and the occupants wore floral belts.

The military idea was carried out by the appearance of a company of the coast artillery, the California Grays and five companies of the Fifth regiment of the National Guard, all in full dress uniforms. Behind the military contingent came the uniform ranks of the bay city fraternal organizations, social, and improvement clubs, temperance and church organizations, the fire department, and the school children of the city, each entry being augmented with handsome floral floats.

HORSEMEN FEATURE.

Queen Nora and her royal court, consisting of Misses Sophie Michelson, Violet Wilsey, Margaret Edwards, Harriett Teter, as maids; little Dorothy Kathleen Pratt and Helen Mervin, as mites, and Helen Giblin and Catherine Pike as flower girls, were seated on a high throne mounted on a float drawn by six stately white horses. The float was in colors of white and gold, artistically decorated with cut flowers of every description. The queen's bodyguard consisted of 30 horsewomen, all Berkeley residents, under the command of Miss Olive Shirik. They were dressed in kakhi riding skirts, white middle blouses and hats.

The Berkeley parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, had a very pretty pony cart in which was seated Miss Mildred Mahoney, daughter of the president, beneath a poppy covered parasol from which were radiated silken streamers to the 25 members who guarded the basket phaeton and its fair occupant. These women were dressed in neat white frocks over which were floral sashes.

Another handsome float was that of the Etude Club of this city. More than a score of members dressed in white and carrying white parasols trimmed with garlands of red geraniums were seated on a big tally-ho loaned by the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco. The big vehicle was trimmed with geraniums and was drawn by a sextet of black horses with floral harnesses. On the tally-ho were the following:

President Mrs. Herbert Sanford, Miss Harriett Odgers, Miss Helen Revel, Miss Gladys Revel, Miss Velma Streib, Miss Helen Balch, Mrs. Mary Lane, Mrs. Charles Z. Ellis, Miss Claire Farrin, Miss Ruth Baer, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. William S. Folger, Mrs. E. E. Forward, Mrs. George A. Faulkner, Mrs. E. Oakley, Miss Hazel Hubbard, Mrs. Sidney Stoner, Miss Edna Montagne and Roma Love.

RIDES TANDEM.

Another feature of the parade was entered by the Donnelly-Stow riding horse-woman riding a tandem of thoroughbred horses decorated with blossoms was escorted by a quartet of riders on white and black horses. Among the unique entries were floats of the Womans' Christian Temperance Union, the Wawona Club, Ladies of the Macaebes, the Twentieth Century Club, Ashby Day Nursery, Young Ladies' Institute, Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, Oakland Progress and Prosperity Committee and the various schools of the city.

The local fire department was well represented. Chief James Kenney rode in the chaffeur on the new combination hose and chemical automobile. The machine was decorated with garlands of roses. Chemical No. 1, Hose No. 2 and engines Nos. 3 and 5 were also in line.

The Alameda County Boy Scouts, headed by their band, made a good showing. The Berkeley Aero Club entered a flower glider. The Oakland Chamber of Commerce was represented by a float of automobiles profusely decorated. One machine contained a number of Oakland high school girls in their white frocks.

MOOSE MAY BUILD ON TWELFTH AND WEBSTER

It was reported today that the Order of Moose contemplate erecting a lodge and office building on the corner of Twelfth and Webster streets, the site now occupied by the destroyed Dietz Opera House building, recently burned. It is the property of the C. H. King estate, and that negotiations for the building of a lodge and office structure have been under way since the fire two weeks ago was made public today. So far the negotiations have not reached a definite stage, but if a price can be agreed upon it is said that the work of construction will commence at once.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Superior Judge Graham today refused to accept the resignation of Louis M. Hoefler as guardian of Elizabeth Parker Hastings. He complimented the attorney on his work and gave as a reason for denying the application to be relieved from further connection with the case, that within sixty days the decree of the English court restoring Miss Hastings to competency would be argued here. At that time it is understood that Harry Hastings of San Mateo, brother of the young woman, will ask that a receiver be appointed providing she is restored to competency by the local court.

GUARDIAN RESIGN



The Convincing Points

Why I Selected Fourth Avenue Heights For My Home

First—Because it commands the most beautiful view of any tract in the Piedmont Hills. I can see the Golden Gate, the bay and the two great cities from my porch. You can't imagine how wonderful it is.

Second—It is a restricted neighborhood, there being no unsightly or undesirable houses permitted.

Third—The improvements are the best that can be obtained. Many beautiful homes are being erected all around mine. Macadam streets, sidewalks, gas, electricity, water, sewers and telephones are all here on the tract. I enjoy all the city comforts with the charm and grace and health of the country. Lots are roomy enough for a driveway and deep enough for a garage and a garden. It will be fine when I get my automobile.

Fourth—The climate is simply perfect, high above the fogs and winds. One breathes the pure mountain air, together with the salty breezes of the bay. It is all very invigorating and healthy. The two most beautiful and natural parks in the world—Dimond Canyon and Trestle Glen—are on either side of my home, not five minutes' walk. My children have these parks for playgrounds and they are growing up strong and healthy. Good public schools are within a few blocks.

Fifth—Fourth avenue cars run almost to my door, only fifteen minutes from Broadway; ten-minute service, making it easy and comfortable to reach the cafes, theatres, churches and shopping district downtown. My friends come out in ten minutes in their machines.

Tell your husband about these points. It is to be your home, you know; you are the one most concerned.

Point out to him the features and the accessibility of this wonderful residential section—the last of the Piedmont property. There are less than one hundred lots left, so don't hesitate and put it off, because there will be no more moderate price Piedmont property. Marine view property such as Berkeley Heights, Claremont and Central Piedmont is double the price I paid for my lot, and from any standpoint it cannot be compared to mine. Go to-morrow SURE and see the lots like mine that are selling for \$1,000, \$100 down and \$10 a month. No interest or taxes till 1912. From San Francisco, take the Key Route Oakland train to Twelfth and Broadway, Oakland; and the car with the red star from Thirteenth and Broadway, to and through the tract. Our automobiles are at your service any day or hour.

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CITY COUNCIL CANVASSES VOTE

Officers Chosen at the Recent Municipal Election Declared Duly Elected.

The city council last night canvassed the vote cast at the general municipal election last Tuesday and adopted a resolution declaring elected the following:

Frank K. Mott, mayor; George E. Gross, auditor; William J. Bacus, commissioner No. 1; William J. Bacus, commissioner No. 2; Frederick C. Turner, commissioner No. 3; John Forrest, commissioner No. 4; Dr. A. S. Kelly, school director No. 1; Frank B. Cook, school director No. 2; Calvin M. Orr, school director No. 3; Harry L. Boyd, school director No. 4; Annie F. Brown, school director No. 5; and M. R. Bronner, school director No. 6.

The canvass showed few changes in the result announced in semi-official returns. Mayor Mott gained eight votes over Thomas Booth, making his majority 267; Bacus lost 21 votes, making the majority over A. Eugene 415; Turner gained four votes, making his majority over Eugene Stachler 882; and Frederickson gained 13 votes, Forrest beating Mr. Boyd 539 majority. Robert Vincent, defeated for auditor, gained 28 votes.

In the final figures on school directors the changes were of no importance.

REFUSES TO LET GUARDIAN RESIGN

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STRIKING COTTON WORKERS TO PARADE

Millhands and Sympathizers Plan Demonstration on the Streets.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT AT ARBITRATION UNDER WAY

Men and Women Paid Off as Usual at the Oakland Plant.

At yesterday's regular meeting the directors of the California Cotton Mills nothing was done in relation to the strike and lockout, except to audit and approve the pay roll. Today being pay day, notices were posted on the gatekeeper's lodge that all claims of the employees would be honored as usual.

Although most of the 600 and odd employees worked only one day, the walkout occurring on Tuesday morning and the lockout at noon the next day, the pay roll called for the disbursement of over \$1000 today. All of the mill hands gathered at the gates of the mills at the time announced to begin paying off. Every thing went off in an orderly way. A sergeant of police and two patrolmen were on the scene early, however, as a precaution against any possible attempt to disturb the peace.

WILL PARADE TONIGHT.

This evening a public parade of the striking mill hands will take place on Broadway and Washington street, between Eighth and Fourteenth streets, in which some sympathizing labor organizations, it is understood, are going to take part.

It has been stated that disinterested parties are endeavoring to persuade the mill hands to submit a modified proposal to the mill management, but the movement did not succeed. The effort is, however, being revived today in hopes that a new proposition may be submitted Monday. The board of directors will not be in session that day, however, and if any such proposition is made, a special meeting of the board will have to be called to consider it.

Some of the mill hands declare that several of the directors are inclined to favorable consideration of the demands submitted, but have been influenced to the contrary by Manager Rutherford.

AFFINITY FLEES; SOUL MATE FREE

Robert C. Geffs, Given Liberty When Woman in Case Disappears.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Robert C. Geffs, the young Arizona college student, who found an affinity in Mrs. Cecil Wilhelm, wife of a Chicago broker, and fled with her to this city, was released on his own recognizance by Judge Shortall this morning.

After the first love feast, a quarrel arose between the couple and finally Mrs. Wilhelm accused Geffs of grand larceny, forgery and assault to do great bodily harm. When the case was called early this week the woman had disappeared and a bench warrant was issued for her. She has not been found by her counsel, Judge Fritz announced this morning that he thought she had gone to Chicago.

Young Geffs, who is the son of a wealthy family, will be allowed to return to Arizona.

TRIES TO REGAIN HER CHILDREN

Mrs. Albert Sutton Begins Legal Action to Secure Boy and Girl.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Another step was taken today in the effort of the wife of Albert Sutton, a former architect of this city, to obtain possession of the two minor children, Albert, aged 13, and Anna, aged 14. Sutton obtained possession of them when he was granted a divorce in 1907 on his allegation that his wife had eloped to Paris with a chauffeur. In an affidavit made today the woman says that her former spouse has disregarded Judge Graham's order and taken the children to Oregon.

NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE

A Scientific Achievement.

The discovery and turning in an alarm of fire makes possible the heroic work of the firemen in putting it out.

Undiscovered, a fire spreads with amazing rapidity, destroying everything within reach.

The discovery of the dandruff germ was of inestimable value to mankind, but only because it paved the way for the greater service, the discovery of Newbro's Herpicide.

Dandruff is contagious, and its spread is checked by the use of Herpicide. This delightful scalp dressing kills the germ, and prevents the hair from falling. It stops that itching almost instantly.

Herpicide is the one standard and original dandruff germ destroyer. Any other preparation making this claim is an imitation.

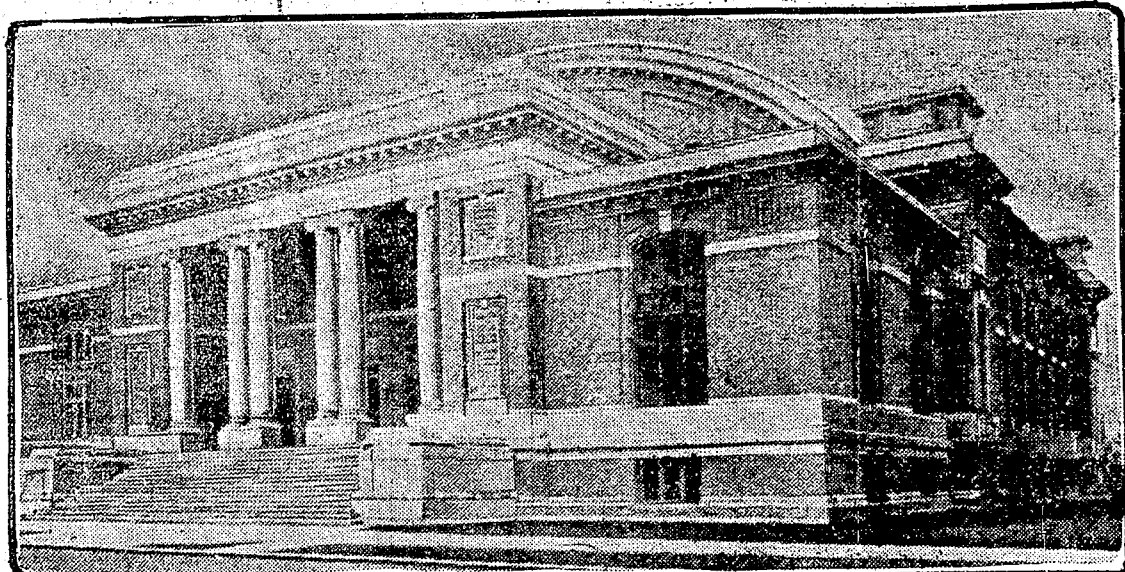
Recommended and applied by first-class barbers.

Send 10c in postage or silver for sample and booklet to The Herpicide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.

One dollar size bottles are guaranteed by all druggists.

AUDITORIUMS ADD TO REVENUES DENVER BUILDING PAYS PROFIT

TWO AUDITORIUMS WHICH HAVE PROVED OF GREAT MONETARY VALUE TO THE CITIES IN WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED.



MEMORIAL HALL, DAYTON, OHIO.

Precinct Workers to Meet Next Monday

That the new municipal auditorium may be assured to this city, and that Oakland may take a conspicuous place among the great municipalities of the country that at the present time support great auditoriums and convention halls, the civic bodies are exerting every effort and influence to obtain an overwhelming endorsement of proposition No. 3 on the ballot to be submitted to the people next Tuesday. It provides for the issue of bonds to the extent of \$500,000 for the construction of such municipal auditorium here. Under the auspices of the school and auditorium bonds campaign committee, the people are being informed of the benefits that would beyond a doubt result in Oakland having such a structure.

Ever since the matter was first proposed some months ago, and the Chamber of Commerce took up the fight, the idea of a municipal auditorium has constantly spread until there has arisen in no section opposition to the plan. It has evolved simply into making certain of the project by inducing all in favor to cast their votes in the affirmative on Tuesday.

CITIES SHOULD CO-OPERATE.

At yesterday's meeting of the progress and prosperity committee, D. B. Perkins, chief of staff of the bond and campaign committee, said:

"In line with Oakland's determination to build a convention hall is the ultimate fulfillment of a plan I recently proposed at a meeting of the San Francisco Convention League, whereby a Coast cities would be held. It would be the duty of this organization to work for the bringing to the coast of all the conventions which could possibly be taken care of. Co-operation among Western cities would mean that a single and influential pressure could be brought to bear on large industrial and business bodies all over the country whereby more successful results could be accomplished than where a single community, unsupported by its surrounding territory, uses its efforts to secure such gatherings."

"The West should stand for the West, and with Oakland in the lead with a magnificent auditorium owned by its citizens, the first step toward a permanent organization has been taken. Oakland's move is a good one, and every voter should register his approval of these bonds on May 15."

MEETING ON MONDAY.

A meeting of the ward and precinct workers for the bonds has been called for Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce to outline the procedure on election day. The San Francisco Improvement Association will hold a mass meeting tonight in Santa Fe hall, Fifty-fifth and Grove streets, to organize the district in support of the bond election. The association has supported the movement from the first and the 600 members have pledged themselves for the passage of the bonds. Other improvement clubs are lending their support, among them being the Rock Ridge Club.

Comments of the Manual Training and Commercial high schools in the interest of school and auditorium bonds, have donated their services as stenographers, to assist in the bond campaign committee at their headquarters in the Oakland chamber of commerce. They are: Miss Alice Shepherd, Miss Ella Hanson, Miss Blanche McCarthy, Miss Annie Curran, Miss Gladys Hartmann, Miss Ella Larson, Miss Irene Hansen, Miss Margaret Moore, Miss Mabel Herrmann, Miss Eva Danielson, rather than to let the bonds go by default and endorsement on the part of those most vitally concerned.

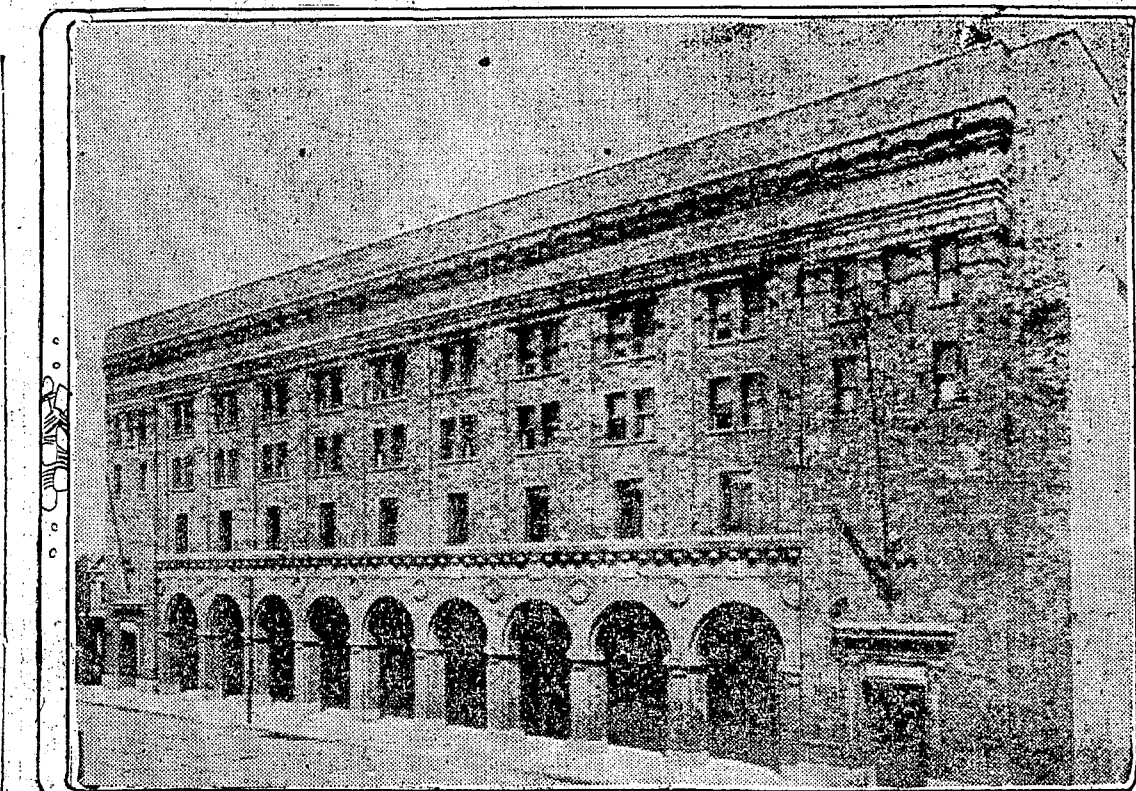
TO SPREAD CITY'S FAME.

From time to time the advantages have been pointed out and the success of similar institutions. In other cities dwell upon at length until there remains in the minds of all thinking people no doubt as to the feasibility of the plan and the necessity for a great convention hall here where national gatherings may be held, thus insuring widespread fame for Oakland, the city of opportunity.

At the same time, along with the auditorium, bonds will be submitted propositions to bond the city for the purchase of new school sites, the enlargement of the present sites and the erection of numerous buildings, among them a manual training and commercial high school to cost \$738,000. The remaining amount of \$1,755,900 will be devoted to the grammar schools and sites.

In outlining the situation, Kenneth Milligan spoke before the committee last night as follows:

"Here is the lesson that Denver is teaching Oakland and other cities through the medium of her magnificent auditorium. It is not merely a question of direct revenue—it is not simply that Denver's building brought into the city treasury a revenue \$6000 greater than its expense during 1910, but in addition to this we find that her citizens enjoyed during the season from November, 1910, to April, 1911, forty-eight municipal concerts—two every Sunday, to which no admission was charged, and at which the



SALT LAKE CITY AUDITORIUM.

attendance averaged 10,000 at each performance, or 20,000 people every Sunday for six months.

GET CONVENTIONS.

"Now, there is the direct result financially and educationally to the people of Denver. Indirectly, what do we find? In June, 1911, there will be held in Denver at the auditorium seven conventions of a national character. And in August, September, October, November and December five more gatherings of large commercial and fraternal organizations will be held. Think what these conventions mean to a city; every delegate attending expects to spend more than his ordinary current expenditure in his home town. He indulges in luxuries and adopts modes of travel which he would not attempt to afford under ordinary circumstances and there is no method of increasing the circulation of small spending money so efficient as gatherings of this kind. Nor must be entirely overlooked the effect of visiting a city under such conditions upon the individual delegates. The attractions of the west are doubly so when they are viewed under the ideal conditions of a well-regulated and properly-handled convention. To foster them, however, requires a building which shall be suitable and adequate.

PROSECUTOR TO INDICT INFORMER

Crown Asks That Abbatemaggio Be Included in the Prosecution.

VITERBO, May 13.—The crown prosecutor asked today that Gennaro Abbatemaggio be indicted as an accomplice in the murder of General Cucuocolo and his wife. The request was founded on admissions made today by Abbatemaggio during the session of Marrozzini trial, when he was again confronted by Enrico Alfano, charged with being actual head of the Camorra. President Bianchi declined to make the order.

The exchange between Abbatemaggio and Alfano had to do chiefly with actual murder of the Cucuocolos. The informer repeated circumstances already known. Alfano replied that, wishing to be indulgent, he could only imagine that his accuser had had dreams.

When Abbatemaggio was asked why his share of the reward for the crime was \$80, while the actual murderers received only \$25 each, he replied:

"Because either the Camorristas feared me or thought me useful."

It was this last statement of the informer that led the crown prosecutor to ask for his indictment.

LIBRARIAN GREENE TO ATTEND MEETING

Members of the local Public Library staff will attend the convention of the American Library Association, which will meet in Pasadena, May 18, and will remain in session six days.

Charles S. Greene, librarian of the Oakland Library, will be among the delegates. The representatives of the library, who will leave for the conclave, are Miss Katherine Whitten, Miss Katherine Jones, Mrs. Caroline Louderback, Miss J. M. Fenton, Miss Florence Browne and Miss Mary Barby.

HEN OSTRICH GOAT-GETTER.

TACOMA, Wash., May 13.—W. F. Williams, a resident of Wilwood, complained to Chief of Police Likins that his family had been reduced to a state of nervous collapse by the incessant cackling of a hen ostrich which laid an egg the day before and had been making a noisy and vain glorious exhibition of herself ever since. Chief Likins advised the man to swear out a warrant for the offending bird and bring her into court. The big plume producer is one of a herd of ten recently brought from near Los Angeles.

AFFINITY SHOT; HUSBAND JAILED

Murder and Suicide Theories Are Both Advanced by Officials.

SAN MATEO, May 13.—Louis Johnson, named as the affinity of Mrs. John Ruggles, a handsome young brunette, who several weeks ago was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce, was yesterday found dead in his room above the Eagle Cafe, Daly City, with a bullet in his head and his own revolver clinched in his right hand.

The woman's husband, John Ruggles, is held in detinue in the county jail at Redwood City, pending an investigation. He was found intoxicated near the scene of the tragedy.

Coroner H. P. Plymire of San Mateo county is convinced that a murder has been committed. District Attorney Franklin Swart declares that Johnson committed suicide.

Mrs. Ruggles, although she admits being in the room when the fatal shot was fired, declares she did not hear it. Since her divorce Mrs. Ruggles has been residing above the Eagle Cafe. She was to have married Johnson as soon as she obtained a final decree of divorce.

Ruggles had trailed her to the resort Thursday night, and a stormy scene took place there among the trio. He sought to effect a reconciliation with his wife, but failed.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. Edward Barb is making a three weeks' visit in Sacramento at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. R. Legate, on Fifteenth street.

Mrs. H. B. Gettleton and daughter are in Merced visiting Mrs. Gettleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Harris. Miss Irene Pattee was in Coulterville during the past week, a guest at the home of Mrs. W. G. Sowden.

M. McCutchan visited friends at his old home in Oak Park last week. Miss Carrie Gonsalves has been visiting her sister in Ukiah.

Mrs. W. E. Rosebro is in Santa Cruz, the guest of Mrs. L. J. Crichton.

J. N. Scribner is a guest at the Auditorium Hotel, Chico.

J. W. Fisher has returned from

Gilroy, where he visited for several days with friends and relatives.

Herman Mayberry has returned to his home in Colusa after a visit with friends here.

A. A. Hinchman is the guest of his brother-in-law, N. Bethune, in Vacaville.

J. P. Davis and family made a brief visit with Hayward relatives last week.

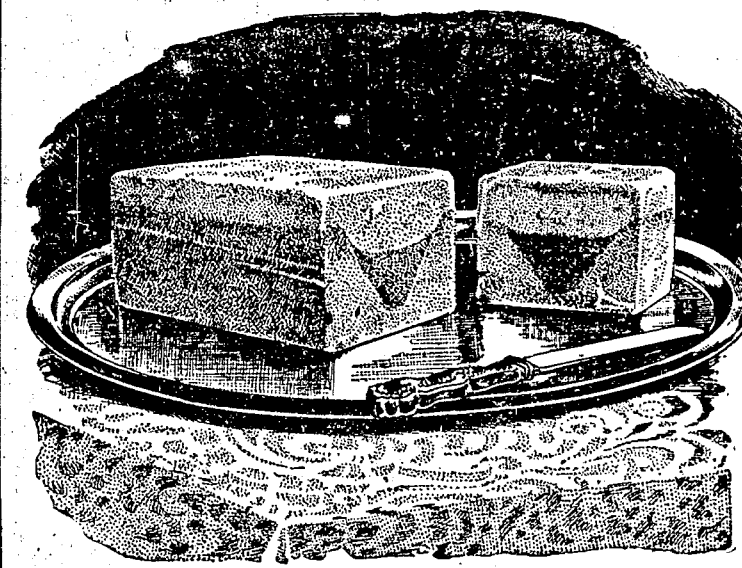
George E. and L. E. Albright were recent business visitors in Placerville. J. D. Chappel was in Mendocino recently attending to property interests.

Mrs. Mary Kenworthy has returned from a visit with friends in Willits. T. D. Reed was a recent Willits visitor.

H. J. Stanley is a business visitor in Chico.

A. H. Hills has returned from a business visit in Porterville.

William Cotter was a recent Santa Clara visitor.



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WOODROW WILSON COMING MONDAY

Many Affairs Planned in Honor of Distinguished Visitor.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, former president of Princeton University, who is touring the western cities and discussing pertinent questions of the day, will arrive from Los Angeles with Frank P. Strockbridge of New York Monday evening. He will be the guest of several luncheons and dinners given by businessmen and academic organizations, and will speak at a dinner given by the Harvard, Yale and Princeton clubs at the Fairmont hotel Monday evening.

Upon his arrival Governor Wilson will be entertained at a luncheon given by Charles S. Black and the members of the University Club. Among the other guests at the luncheon will be Chief Justice Beatty, Garret McEnery and W. H. Crocker. A tour of the city will be concluded by the dinner at the Fairmont hotel, where Garret McEnery will act as toastmaster and Governor Wilson, Dr. Thomas Huntington, Judge Curtis Lindsey, Theodore Bell and Gavin McNab will speak.

Tuesday Governor Wilson will deliver the Phi Beta Kappa address at the University of California, and will be the guest of W. H. Crocker at dinner at the Pacific Union Club. At 7:40 Tuesday evening he will leave for a tour of the cities of the northwest.

The reception committee in charge of Governor Wilson's entertainment in San Francisco is as follows: W. H. Crocker, president of the Kappa Club, Dr. Thomas Huntington, president of the Harvard Club; Rev. J. H. Laughlin, president of the Princeton Club; C. W. Black, James Mackenzie and A. S. Lilley.

JUDAENS PLAN TO HOLD HOUSE-WARMING

Invitations have been issued by the Judaens society for a house-warming to be held next Wednesday evening in the new club-rooms of the organization, 1170 Webster street. During the evening musical numbers will be furnished by members of the club. The affair will be the first of its kind held under the auspices of the Judaens.

"Hear Dubleigh over there bragging about his wife?"

"What's he saying?"

"He's telling Brown that all he is owes to her."

"Humph! Do you call that bragging?" Boston Transcript.

GARDENER FOR THE CAPITOL PARK

Thomas Armstrong of Oakland Takes Place of J. W. Reeves at Sacramento.

SACRAMENTO, May 13.—Thomas Armstrong, an expert landscape gardener, recommended by John McLarren of Golden Gate park, was today appointed to the position of Capitol park gardener, taking the place of John W. Reeves, who held the place for many years and through many political administrations. The appointment of Armstrong and the dismissal of Reeves were announced by George G. Radcliff, superintendent of the Capitol grounds, and they took effect upon announcement.

Armstrong has recently been employed by the city of Oakland in tree planting in the parks and on the streets.

The new Capitol gardener was formerly employed by Timothy Hopkins at Menlo Park. He laid out the landscape plan for Venice.

The Passing of Dickinson.

The retirement of Jacob M. Dickinson from the President's cabinet will occasion less surprise than his appointment. Why he was ever made Secretary of War has never been explained. He had no special fitness for the job. He brought no element of strength to the support of the President, he placated no resentments nor did he satisfy any geographical craving. As a factor in politics he was absolutely unknown till the President appointed him Secretary of War.

No satisfactory reason for that appointment has ever been given. From the standpoint of party politics it weakened the President without affording compensation in any other direction. Mr. Dickinson has shown no special knowledge of military matters. He is an eminent and talented railroad lawyer, but no military expert. His career in the cabinet has not been brilliant. His administration of the War Department has followed routine lines. It has been clean and respectable—nothing more.

Mr. Dickinson's appointment did not appeal to the sentiment and imagination of the South. He was not a Southern leader nor was he in accord with popular sentiment south of the Ohio. True, he is a native of Tennessee, but he had so long been a resident of Chicago that he was essentially a man of the Middle Northwest. He belonged to the old Locofoco wing of the Southern Democracy that followed Palmer and Buckner in the campaign of 1896. He represented the South neither in sentiment nor politics.

Of course the President gained nothing by putting Mr. Dickinson at the head of the War Department. His presence among the President's official advisers broke the political solidarity of the cabinet and was an element of discord in discussing matters having a bearing on domestic politics. If Mr. Dickinson was not in accord with the political sentiment dominant in the South he did not agree with the President and his colleagues in the cabinet.

He swelled the number of lawyers in a cabinet already overloaded with legal talent. There was Knox, Nagel, Wickensham and Ballinger, all representing the conservative forces of society, and Dickinson was not needed to supply either legal knowledge or bring conservative support to the administration.

The country is still at a loss to account for Dickinson. It will not be surprised that he has retired from the cabinet nor greatly regret his return to private life. The surprise is that he remained in the cabinet so long.

The cabinet change caused by the retirement of Dickinson has strengthened the President politically. An element of weakness has been exchanged for an element of strength. The President has been given an opportunity to compose the dissension which has rent the Republican party in New York. Henry L. Stimson, who succeeds Dickinson, represents the radical wing of the party in the Empire State, while Mr. Millington, who has been appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, is a member of the conservative faction. Thus the President has given substantial recognition to both wings of the party and established a basis for working harmony.

But why Dickinson? The mystery of his appointment is as inscrutable as ever.

Our esteemed contemporary, the San Francisco Chronicle, fears that reciprocity with Canada will make free traders of the farmers of the Middle West. We think the fear is unfounded. It cannot be possible that American producers who sell their surplus to Europe in open competition with Canada can be injured in their home market by the same competition. The State of Iowa produces three times as much corn as is produced in the entire Dominion, and Iowa exports corn to Europe. How is Iowa to be injured by competing at home with a country which it successfully competes with abroad? However, if the farmers of the Middle West should be injured by the reciprocity agreement they will not turn to free trade as a relief. Rather will they return to protection with greater enthusiasm and devotion. Reciprocity is only an experiment at best, and can be terminated by either party after a brief trial. Let us try the thing out, and then we will be in a position to determine from the results of actual experience the merits of the proposition.

It is just beginning to dawn upon the Democrats of the South that their free list tariff programme is in the interest of New England which is hopelessly Republican and devoted to manufacturing. New England wants cheap food and free raw materials. The South and West produce food and raw materials.

The people of Berkeley made a mistake in voting down the bonds for a garbage crematory. In their cooler moments they will regret doing so, for sooner or later they will be compelled to do just what they have just refused to do. There is a growing protest against dumping garbage in the ocean outside the Heads, and this protest Oakland as well as Berkeley will be forced to heed. Some other method of garbage disposal will have to be devised, and cremation seems to be the only alternative in sight. It has been proposed to transport garbage by rail to dumping grounds in distant marshes, but this proposed method has never found favor; being regarded merely as a temporary expedient. Erecting crematories will permanently settle the question, and the sooner they are erected the better. When cremation is provided for, more sanitary methods of collection and transportation can be devised. At present our methods of collection and transportation are as crude and insanitary as the method of disposal is objectionable. Political chagrin should not have prompted the people of Berkeley to vote down so meritorious a project as garbage cremation.

Ex-Senator Money of Mississippi has been discussing the political outlook with the newspaper correspondents in Washington. He thinks the Democrats are sure to win if they make no mistakes and nominate a good man. "But," he significantly added, "if Mr. Bryan dictates the nomination of any man that man will be defeated." That statement at once dissolved the rainbow which Mr. Money had pictured in the sky. If Bryan is not a candidate himself he will insist upon naming the candidate. If he is not permitted to have his way, his following will knife the ticket. Therefore, the situation may be stated thus: Mr. Bryan cannot name a winner and he will not allow a winner to be named by others.

Improving the San Joaquin River.

Citizens of the San Joaquin valley are again agitating the improvement of the San Joaquin river for navigation purposes. The scheme is an old one and is entirely feasible, but for some reason has never been ardently supported by the people directly affected. In early days boats used to ascend a long way up the San Joaquin, but since the railroads were built navigation has been confined almost exclusively to the section of the river below Stockton. One reason for this apathy is due, probably, to the fact that all the towns in the valley are located on the railroad lines at a distance from the river. The plan now being agitated contemplates the im-

Uncle Sam—"Gosh, Wonder What I've Caught?"



provement of the San Joaquin to a point opposite Fresno. An appropriation of \$25,000 has been made to defray the expense of a preliminary survey of the river, and it is upon this basis that a renewed effort is being made to arouse public interest throughout the San Joaquin valley. Some years ago it was contended by local engineers that the big irrigation canals radiating from Kings river could be utilized for slack water navigation to Fresno. If that is feasible the projected improvement of the San Joaquin is likely in time to give Fresno water communication with the cities on the bay of San Francisco. Hence Oakland has a direct interest in the project. Should the river be opened to navigation to the center of the valley it would cheapen transportation for a vast amount of heavy freight, such as hay and grain.

The Flower Carnival Berkeley is holding is an artistic expression of public spirit. It is an attractive celebration which symbolizes the love for flowers that is a dominant note in the domestic life of our sister city and incidentally gives occasion for a display of the floral wealth which abounds in this section. Doubtless thousands will cross the bay to attend the celebration, in which the people of Berkeley have entered heart and soul. Aside from the beauty and grace of the manifestation, Berkeley will reap a material benefit from the carnival, which will advertise her attractiveness as a place of residence abroad. The flower carnival should be repeated annually, made an established institution, like the Fiesta in Los Angeles and the cherry carnival in San Leandro, for it will develop the artistic sense and love for the beautiful. It will be an incentive to improved gardening and landscape adornment, which will vastly add to the attractions of the University City.

Colonel Roosevelt says he does not intend to make a Polar expedition to hunt for white bears and the trail of Dr. Cook. This will sadly disappoint a few people in Washington.

Why is the birth rate in California so low? Perhaps the divorce statistics afford an answer, but the causes must lie still deeper. In February, 1911, the deaths in this State exceeded the births by 258—that is, if the report of the State Board of Health is to be accepted as correct. The precise figures given in the report are: Births, 2530; deaths, 2788. While the death rate is low the birth rate is still lower. Now, we all know that California is an exceptionally healthy country. But why are not the people here more fecund in reproducing the race? If vital statistics do not lie California is getting in the same class as France as regards the birth rate.

FOR OLD HORSES

The report that the city is to establish on Chesley Island where its ailing or exhausted horses may have a chance to recuperate is good news to the humane individual who has occasion to notice every day that ailing and exhausted horses are not always so justly dealt with.

But now that the city has acted on behalf of its own property, may we not expect that we have progressed a little toward the day when it will also insist that all citizens recognize the rights of the faithful horse?

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals can do much; but prevention has never yet solved any big problem. Education is the effective force which not only prevents but forestalls.

The average owner of a horse of a draft-horse, perhaps we should say—apparently believes that he has a right to

work the animal to the day of its death, with a possible dispensation of a few hours, before an officer is called to put a relieving bullet into the brain that can no longer compel the worn-out body to obey. A very large number of work horses die, literally, in the harness. And the average man looks upon himself as an aggrieved person, and estimates his loss, when his horse falls for the last time.

Very certainly the world will solve the problem of its old horses, when it has become wise and kind; but humane persons still have a gigantic work before them. If the horse is ever to be treated with as much consideration as numerous other species which are by no means so useful, or so thoroughly worthy of rewards.

Let there be a recuperation ground not only for the city's horses, but for all horses.—St. Louis Times.

Things in General

Writing from Berlin an American says: "Among the Pauline Lucca pictures which are shown in a musical publication house here, because of the seventieth anniversary of the birth of the great singer, April 25, are two which were made in the United States in 1861. I remember hearing my parents speak of her Gretchen, Carmen, Selika and Mignon, but not with the enthusiasm shown by the old people here, who knew her when Lucca, despite her being a Viennese, was Berlin's pet. I asked one of these whether a monument had been raised to her in the capital. 'No one would know who it was for,' was the answer. She left the stage when she was still great, and when she died, three years ago, she was buried, as she had requested, at Baden, and the slab which marks her grave is inscribed: 'Pauline von Walthofen.'"

"Russia is the land of tragedies. The harvest is gathered daily and the victims belong to all classes. The people have become accustomed to scenes of descriptions of horrors," according to the "Russische Correspondenz," "and it requires a case like that of the artist Constantin Krychitzki to attract attention. He placed on view a painting which he had recently completed, and was forthwith accused of having copied it from the work of another painter. He failed to convince his accusers of his honesty and the genuineness of his picture, and in desperation killed himself. On the same night and before the news of the tragedy had reached the artists of St. Petersburg held a meeting at which it was reported that Krychitzki had been wrongfully accused. Too late!"

Political Comment

The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot says: "Tacoma, Wash., has had five recall elections within thirty days. Like the Duke of York and his 40,000 men, the voters out there march their officers into office, turn right around and march them out again." If this country should adopt the initiative, referendum and recall, it would be proper to make holidays of all days on which elections are not held.—Florida Times-Union.

Democratic Senators are planning to upset Bailey of Texas. This is cruel. And if they annoy him he might resign—terrible thought!—Chicago News.

Carter Harrison III will come of age this year. Chicago breathes easier. Its supply of Mayors seems to be safe for another generation at least.—Minneapolis Journal.

Side Issues

THE TRAGIC DIFFERENCE.
William was lying on his bed, face downward, sobbing desolately. His mother took him in her arms, the whole eight years of him. In a few minutes she learned all. It was a girl, and she had sent him a note.
"Dere Willyum: I love yu best but Henry gives me the most kandy."
"Isabel."
—Success.

MEN AND WOMEN

Here was a case where it seemed as if everything was settled. The insurance company's doctor had reported that the man seemed to be all right and the man himself had certified that he was not engaged in any dangerous occupation. "I lead a sedentary life," he told them. "I work in an office and we have no danger or excitement."
"How about sports?" asked the examiner. "Do you play football? Baseball? Do you box? Belong to an athletic club?"
"No—none of that stuff. I guess I'm a safe risk."
"Do you scorch?"
"What do you mean?"
"Do you drive your car faster than the speed limit?"
"I have no car."
"What? How do you get about?"
"I walk."
"Risk refused. A scorcher is a dangerous risk, but a pedestrian has no

chance at all. Buy a car, old chap. Sorry—good night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.
Strolling from the bar the customer stopped before a counter piled with a venerable collection of flotsam and jetsam heaped in dishes and basins.
"Why don't you plant ivy on this nose, old ruin?" he inquired of an employee who had just carved a sniver from the flotsam and was putting it between two slices of jetsam.
"Ruins," snorted the employee. "Them ain't ruins. Them's free lunch."
"Free," murmured the customer. "Free, did you say?" And then, dreamily: "Liberty, liberty. What crimes are committed in they name."
Whereupon he started to spear a pickle belonging formerly to a prominent mound builder, but, losing his nerve, walked away.—Philadelphia Leader.

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

The following are the starters for the Brooklyn Handicap to be run tomorrow: Tenny, Burlington, Judge Morrow, Damuth, Prince Royal, Tea Tray, Castaway, Senorita, Reporter, Banquet, Bar, Cousin Jeems, Russell, Uncle Bob, Saunterer, Once Again, Chatham, Carroll, King Thomas, an Nelly Bly.
Rev. F. B. Murch, the pastor-elect of the United First Presbyterian church of this city, has arrived and will soon occupy his position.
Workmen are busy in the Eight-street poolrooms today putting in boxes in which betting books are to be made and the large marking boards on which the names of the racers will be placed and the respective odds.
George Cronin of 1814 Grove street, 10 years old, was run over by car No. 1 of the new electric line today and seriously injured. The road has been in operation for three days and this is the first accident on an electric railway in Oakland.
F. J. Keller has captured the hearts of the little folks. To every child who calls at his store in Seventh street between the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock he presents a bouquet of choice roses.
The Victor baseball nine has reorganized with the following members: Willie Harbridge, Joe Short, Seth Talcott, Charlie Harbridge, Willie Row, Fred

Turnbull, Adolph Smith, Robert Balne, and Eugene Herrier.
F. M. Smith and family of East Oakland and also Mrs. M. J. Thompson are visiting in Salt Lake City on their way east where they will spend the summer on the Atlantic coast.
Judge Ellsworth made a happy remark yesterday about the patriotic nomenclature of the district attorney and his deputies. "There are George Washington Reed," he said, "Lincoln Sheridan Church, Abraham Lincoln Frick and E. Pluribus Unum Nussbaumer."
The graduating class of California College will hold commencement exercises at Mary Stuart Hall, Highland Park, Thursday, May 21, at 10 o'clock a. m. Following are the members of the class: Miss Elsie I. Brotherton, Miss L. Ella Claypool, Miss Mabel L. Carlson, Miss P. Dam, Miss Mabel R. Morse, Elmer E. Hummel, Willie D. Parkhurst and Charles L. Williams.
Detectives are said to be keeping a close watch over vessels in the estuary at Oakland wharf to see that they do not load any more arms and ammunition for the Chilean insurgents.
Three dwellings occupied by the families of Antone De Costa, Mrs. Furlong and Mrs. Farrell on Twenty-third avenue burned last night about 8 o'clock, causing damage to the extent of \$5000.

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Tuesday Night, May 23, at 8:15
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Table d'hôte dinner, 5:30 p. m. to 8 p. m., \$1.00. Special 40c lunch daily from 11:30 to 2.

GOSSIP FROM SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

Footlight Favorites Bring Divorce

Mrs. Charles G. Gates' divorce from the son of John W. Gates marks another romance blighted through the husband's love for stage beauties. Young Gates has long been known as an admirer of footlight favorites, and this irritated his wife who refused to share her husband with other women, or so she informed the referee who heard the evidence presented at the case. Young Gates sought to dissuade his wife from taking action looking to a separation, and in order to prevent the suit being filed he rode across the continent at a cost of \$5000. This signal mark of his devotion failed to soften his wife's heart, and despite his pleadings he filed the suit which resulted the other day in freedom for herself. Young Gates became quite well known in San Francisco and other Coast cities during his stay in the West. He was known as a liberal spender on his father's wealth and as far as is known, Gates Sr. never stinted his son, allowing him an income which permitted him to enjoy family, wife and stage beauties, and this requires quite a fortune as stage beauties come high. But now Mr. Gates Jr. can devote all his time to his footlight favorites if he so desires, so far as his wife that was is concerned, as with her interlocutory decree clamped to her bosom she tripped jauntily from the New York court, where the machinery of the law had changed her from an unhappy married woman to a radiant grass widow.—The Wasp.

A Novel Luncheon

To Mrs. Robert Davis of Berkeley belongs the credit of a most novel luncheon. It was given recently at her home. The invitations called it a "cafeteria luncheon" and it justified the description in every detail. From an improvised counter the guests, numbering some ninety-eight, took tiny trays, napkins, forks, etc., and then helped themselves to chicken pie, salad, buttered toast, almonds, cheese, crackers and ices. Funny signs were hung about the room. One sign read: "The managers have strained every lobe of their brain to further the interest of patrons and hope they will meet with every encouragement." Miss Constance Davis and two or three young debutantes were dressed as waitresses. After luncheon a basket was passed around with cigars and cigarettes which, although made of chocolate, looked so natural that Mrs. Spencer, the conventional mother of Mrs. Davis, became horrified and showed her disapproval by leaving the room. When she was satisfied that the cigars and cigarettes were of candy she returned. Among other present were Mrs. J. K. Armbray, Mrs. Charles Eiden, Mrs. George Plummer, Mrs. Goodlove, Mrs. Frank Fuller, Mrs. House, Mrs. William P. Treat, Mrs. Grim, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Towle, Mrs. E. Van Bergen, Mrs. Willard Wayman and Mrs. George Roe.—Town Talk.

Eleanor vs. Matrimony

Eleanor Sears and Harold Vanderbilt are rumored to be engaged, but the masculine young lady from Boston has been reported betrothed so many times that her society friends are skeptical. The report of her pending marriage to Mrs. O. P. H. Belmont's son recalls the last time Miss Sears was in San Francisco. She was assiduously wooed by a certain wealthy clubman, and it was fully expected that he would "pop the question," and it was thought that the Back Bay girl had a soft spot in her heart for him. The romance was watched with great interest, but at about the time developments were expected, Miss Sears started on her famous walk to Del Monte. While she did not make the entire distance, she went far enough to demonstrate her pedestrian ability, and also to frighten off her wooer, for he left immediately for the East, remarking to close friends that when he eventually married he would marry a woman—not an athlete, who might prove too much for him. And so the romance was ended by a walk. Rumor next linked Miss Sears' name with that of Grahame-White, the English aviator, but he soon afterwards left for his own country, and is no longer married. At one time Miss Sears was reported engaged to "Tony" Drexel, but this likewise proved a false report, and her name was later connected with young Jay Gould, who married Miss Graham the other day. Now she is reported to be the object of young Vanderbilt's affections. But her friends and admirers shrug their shoulders and say they will wait until the engagement is formally announced before they credit the story.—The Wasp.

Margaret Anglin's Romance Realized

Margaret Anglin's wedding to Howard Hull in New York, Monday, while expected by her intimate California friends, was a surprise to admirers of the talented actress. At one time it was thought that Miss Anglin would become Mrs. Henry Miller, and their engagement was even reported. Suddenly the pair, who had been on the most friendly terms, went their different ways; and, while there was little said, it was known to the most intimate friends of the couple that there would be no marriage. The reason was that Miller has a wife and several children who are living in Europe, where his children have been very carefully educated. Miss Anglin came to California about sixteen months ago, and appeared at the Greek Theater in Berkeley in Sophocles' "Antigone." Howard Hull was with her. He is only 30 years old, but has been actor, press agent, newspaper man and magazine writer. He took the part of Harmon at the Greek Theater production. During the day here of the actress he was constantly with her, and before they left for the East it was whispered that their marriage was likely to occur soon.—The Wasp.

Never Heard of Mrs. Martin

San Francisco has always been in the prodigy business, and will doubtless continue to do business at the old stand as long as the California poppies lay wide washes of orange on the brown hills, as long as a ship comes sailing through the Golden Gate, as long as the fog trails misty robes over this city of a thousand woes and wonders. Artists, musicians, writers and poets have had their first inspiration here, and have gone forth to become prophets.

Another remarkable man has just been discovered, a man born and raised in this city, a man who has passed through all the changing years from pinafores to gray hairs, and yet only the other week did society discover that he is an unusual, a noteworthy man.

Of course he was not discovered by his own friends. They saw him only as a sober, industrious, thrifty man, who had risen from a printer's devil to owning his own shop. But society, society found him out, and has pigeon-holed him as one of the most remarkable men in San Francisco.

He had never heard of Mrs. Eleanor Martin.

For over half a century Mrs. Martin's name has had roomy quarters in the society column than any other name on the roster of the smart set. Mrs. Martin's sayings and doings, Mrs. Martin's goings and comings, Mrs. Martin's religious affiliations and social activities, Mrs. Martin's likes and dislikes, joys and sorrows, are eagerly followed up by the society reporters. One cannot read that column even irregularly without having that name etched on the memory.

To be sure, there are many people thus thoroughly conversant with Mrs. Martin's life, who would not recognize her if they met her. Of course the nearest person to her photograph with becoming fidelity. But the dear lady sat for that photograph thirty years ago, and it is the only one that has ever been given to a newspaper. Why, when Peter Martin married Miss Lily Oelrichs of New York, and Mrs. Martin's and Mrs. Oelrichs' pictures were published side by side, I heard a little woman remark: "Now, don't they look more like sisters? That Mrs. Martin must be wonderful to keep so young!"

But one man went about his business, and the business of printing things at that, and never knew that the fame of Mrs. Eleanor Martin had extended beyond the social circumference of San Francisco. Wonder of wonders, he didn't even know that Mrs. Eleanor Martin existed at all!

This startling discovery was made when Mrs. Martin decided to give a musical at her home for Miss Estella Neuhaus of Boston. Miss Neuhaus has important social affiliations in the East, and through them she was passed on to Mrs. Martin, who, with characteristic kindness, determined that the young musician should be heard in her home. So Mrs. Martin turned over the details of the affair to the friend who relieves her of such onerous duties. This friend rang up a printer and ordered some cards printed, and the musical was on.

The cards were delivered in due time, and in nice clear print announced that Miss Neuhaus would play at the residence of Mrs. Edward Martin, 2040 Broadway.

The friend who had ordered the cards rang up the printer and sputtered about the mistake. "Why, I told you Mrs. Eleanor Martin over the telephone," she said, "and of course I thought that you understood."

"I thought you said Mrs. Edward Martin," quietly responded the printer; "and I clearly repeated that name to you." "But you might have known from the address that it was Mrs. Eleanor Martin," chided the lady.

"How should I know that?" asked the astonished printer, adding: "Why, I never heard of any Mrs. Eleanor Martin any more than of any Mrs. Edward Martin."

Oh, age of miracle!—News Letter.

Sore at the Governor

I heard a man conversant with the inner working of politics remark the other day that the feeling of soreness' cherished by the members of the recent legislature toward Governor Johnson surpasses anything of the sort exhibited for many years. He prophesied that when the next session is held the holdover Senators and the re-elected assemblymen would be prepared to 'swat his excellency hip and thigh. It is a bold prophecy, for two years may heal many wounds. But the examples of the prevailing sentiment which he gave me were interesting. There is Senator John Curtin of Sonoma. He had charge of the constitutional amendment for the reform of taxation and worked hard between sessions to insure its adoption by the voters. He gave his time and money to an educational campaign, made expensive trips, hired stenographers and neglected his large law practice. Then he put in a bill of four thousand dollars for expenses. On the last day for signing bills he went to Sacramento to see the Governor. But he didn't gain admission to the august presence. So Curtin returned to Sonoma vowing vengeance, and his expense bill was killed. Senators Welch and Hare of this city had an experience of much the same kind. With Senator Wolfe they had been appointed on a between-session commission to investigate the high cost of living. They put in expense bill of \$1500 apiece. They too, went to see the Governor on that last day for the signing of bills. At first they were denied admission, but they persisted and managed to see the Governor after cooling their heels in the ante-chamber for a long time. But their claims were not allowed. The Governor explained that he would prefer to have the Board of Control pass on such bills, but as there is no board of control yet, they will have to wait two years for their money and not get it even then. I am told that what Welch and Hare said about the Governor would not look well in a family journal. Their associate, Senator Wolfe, probably recognized the futility of importuning the Governor. Instead of going to Sacramento he went East with Henry Clay and Thomas H. Williams. His destination is Nauvolum where he will take the cure for rheumatism and where he will have little occasion to meditate on petty politics.—Town Talk.

Aeroplane for Bridal Couple

The marriage of young Clarence Walker and Miss Caroline Biven, which was celebrated Monday, has caused much pleasure to the friends of the couple, and has also caused said friends to wonder how the couple are going to keep the wolf from the door. The fact that Mrs. Thelma Walker, mother of the groom, opposed the match and did all in her power to delay the marriage, is well known. Young Walker has been dependent on his mother for support. Her opposition to her son's marriage was so great that she cut off his allowance in the hope that he would relent and remain a bachelor a little longer. But Walker was obstinate, and informed his mamma that while she might hold the purse-strings he had an aeroplane, which was as good as a bank account any day, and that with his trusty aerial steed he could capture a sufficient number of the elusive dollars to keep the larder supplied with necessities and a few luxuries. So the young couple were wedded at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Biven, on Griffith street, San Mateo, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Walker Sr.'s opposition to the match, was due entirely to her son's youth, as he is only 22 year old. Mrs. Walker is the widow of David F. Walker, president of the defunct California San Deposit and Trust Company. The Walkers formerly lived in Salt Lake City, and the banker's widow was left a large fortune by her husband. Her eldest daughter, married Roland Reed, a lawyer of Seattle, Wash. The Walker family is well known in San Francisco and Burlingame. Young Walker and his bride are to leave for Honolulu, and after a stay in the Hawaiian Islands, during which time he will make flights in his Curtiss aeroplane and amass a few more dollars. They will continue to the Orient, where the performance will be repeated, and this will continue until the couple have encircled the globe or young Walker has broken his neck—or Mrs. Walker has relented.—The Wasp.

Had Burlingame Only Known

Mrs. Jay Gould passed through San Francisco several months ago, but she was simple Miss Graham then, the step-daughter of Vos, the famous Dutch painter, and daughter of one of the many connections of the royal house of Hawaii. At that time we had not had a hint that Miss Graham would be a bridemaid at the wedding of Miss Gould and Lord Decies, nor had we any intimation that she was even then engaged to marry young Gould. And so snobocracy lost an opportunity to carpet her way with flowers and carry future favors. With her chaperon she registered at one of the smaller hotels, and spent a week sight seeing, quite untroubled by any pressure brought to bear to precipitate her into our social activities. She had been down to the islands on a business trip connected with her share of her father's estate. She is a beautiful girl without a trace of affectation, and the few people who did meet her were enthusiastic about her charms.

And one of these sought a card for her to one of the subscription halls at which society disports itself. So the aristocratic managers, having lately arrived at aristocracy themselves, and therefore being severe on all newcomers, sat in solemn council over the request, and first they wouldn't, and then they couldn't, and then they did. When Miss Graham was presented with the coveted, bill of pasteboard, she refused it. She didn't have any idea that it was a condescension and a favor, so her refusal was not given in a spirit of rebuke. She just frankly stated that she had had enough of dancing and wanted to enjoy other things; that she was quite mad over the flowers, particularly the Cecile Bruner roses, and would like to die in one of our florist's shops.

Which accounts for the immense shipment of Cecile Bruner, or "baby roses," as they are familiarly called, which went on from here every day to her New York home after she returned. Mr. Gould put in a standing order with one of our flower growers, which order culminated in a shipment of buds for the wedding which denuded almost every bush for miles hereabouts. Had Burlingame only known when Miss Graham was here that her star of destiny had crossed the Gould armament he would have indulged her fancy at the cost of exclusion of his own gardens. But she came and went without exciting a ripple in the social columns, and yet in a few weeks thereafter her name was linked large with Lady Decies throughout the land.—News Letter.

Marriage of Paul Delmas

The wedding of Paul Delmas, son of D. M. Delmas, to Miss Ella Sheehan is calculated to remind one that many of the old families of California have ceased to figure prominently in the social activities. A decade ago the family of Delmas was one of the best known in California, but since the earthquake and fire of 1906 a new set of names figures in the social register. The society reporters are no longer bothering their heads about the movements of the Delmas family to and from the beautiful Casa Delmas, away in the foothills near Mountain View. When Paul Delmas got married the other day the event was disposed of with a brevity that would have been considered almost sacrilegious ten years ago, were it possible to have then occurred. The times change and the society reporters' change with them. Paul Delmas is a clever young civil engineer. Miss Sheehan, whom he married, is the daughter of a pioneer contractor. One of Paul Delmas' sisters married the late William S. Barnes, District Attorney of San Francisco, and son of the late W. H. L. Barnes, famous as a lawyer, orator and club wit. It was as the daughter of General Barnes in the great lawsuit of Sarah Atherton Hill against United States Senator William Sharon that Colonel Kowalsky first became illustrious. The Colonel is still in the spotlight, though the great names of his early days have ceased to emblazon the newspapers, and even his royal chum, old King Leopold of Belgium, is a dead one literally.—The Wasp.

Dr. Wolle, Financier

Dr. J. Fred Wolle's sudden departure for Bethlehem, Penn., where he is to re-establish the Bach festival of music, marks the culmination of a series of clashes with both the head of the University of California, the faculty members and the students themselves. Since shortly after his affiliation with the California institution of learning as director of music, Dr. Wolle has been at odds with some one, and it has been known for some months that he would sever his connections with the university. Although Dr. Wheeler denied that Wolle was asked to resign, it is known that the musical director had no desire to relinquish the post, which has brought him an income which caused considerable envy from those less favored, and made even the salary of the president of the institution look small in comparison. Dr. Wolle is a musician of the highest rank, but those who know him intimately declare that nature intended him for a business man, and to prove their assertion they point to his business acumen in annexing the illusive dollar during his stay at the university. In fact, it is said that Dr. Wolle has made almost enough to retire on. He took practically the entire receipts of the Bach festival given April 22, 1909, and this was about \$4000. Those who took part in the festival got some of the praise, but they desired something more substantial, and the doctor felt peeved. He gave them a piece of his mind and some sympathy, but the dollars that he gave out were few. Dr. Wolle also directed the symphony concerts, and received pay for this; he directed the choral concerts, and received pay for this; he held his position as a faculty member, and drew his salary for this; he gave the Bach festival, receiving much pay for this. There were murmurs heard, but Dr. Wolle's bank-roll steadily grew. But the straw which broke the camel's back was when Wolle sent a bill to the university for a frock-coat which he had secured in which to direct one of the choral concerts. Even the Job-like patience of the staid head of the university gave way under this bit of high finance. The result was several secret conferences, and Dr. Wolle suddenly left on his sabbatical vacation from which he will never return—at least as a faculty member of the University of California. As a faculty member of the University, Dr. Wolle drew a salary of \$6000 a year. He was made organist of the First Congregational Church in Berkeley at a salary of \$5000 a year—total, \$11,000 yearly salary. In addition he received \$250 extra a year from the University for arranging the symphony concerts. He made several thousand out of the Bach festival, and made more money with private pupils and recitals, etc. Dr. Wolle may be a noted musician, but he is certainly a businessman of the first water, and worthy to rank with Charles M. Schwab, with whom he is to be associated from now on.—The Wasp.

June Will Soon Be Here

June, with its trailing tresses, will soon be here—its fragrant blossoms, blue skies, cooling birds and blushing brides. Of course, these things happen the year around in San Francisco, for is it not a city of perennial sunshine and romance, but more particularly do they happen in June. And this coming June, from all prospects in the matter, will outdo itself. Indeed, society looks forward to so many young brides that it scarcely knows how to act or what to do with them. So much love is to be poured into the month that we may well expect a cloudburst of July, neither does this include elopements, for which San Rafael is pluming itself daily. There are always a double squad of marrying ministers doing duty in San Rafael during the month of June. Santa Rosa, however, is beginning to offer strong competition. The Burbank burg has attractions of its own, and since motorists discovered how good the roads are in that direction, they are turning them more and more into a Lover's Lane, or, shall we say, a "frier's Flap." Then the arrival is a sort of May reminder every year.

Not the least of the June engaged is Miss Jennie Lee, so favorably known in San Francisco's younger set, and an aristocrat by inheritance. She is to wed Lieutenant Albert Rees of the cruiser South Dakota. At the Palace Hotel, the other day, Rees was having dinner with a couple of gentlemen friends. Suddenly the orchestra broke into a new number, and Rees, in the midst of a conversation, fell into an abrupt and dreamy silence, and was unresponsive to his companions. Then one of the two had an inspiration. When the number had been concluded he turned to the Lieutenant, now gathering himself to proper attention.

"I think that is one of the sweetest airs ever written," he suggested. "What was it?" asked the other gentleman, while Rees blushed.

"Sweet Jennie Lee," was the reply.—News Letter.

The Origin of the Statuettes

There is an interesting story in the marketing of the Mutt and Jeff statuettes. Realizing the financial value of the ideas embodied by "Bud" Fisher in his comic creations Hearst had the drawings copyrighted in seventy-five different forms. But Hearst never thought of Mutt and Jeff Statuettes. It remained for a Los Angeles bartender to conceive that happy idea. This man, one Gilroy, took George Cline, a sporting goods dealer of the southern city, into his confidence. Cline saw the money-making possibilities, so the twin interested Joe and Dan Murphy of this city. Joe Murphy gave up the champagne business for the new venture and has been no reasoner to regret the move. The profits of the sales which are large wherever the original pictures are known, must be divided between the Hearst News Syndicate, "Bud" Fisher, Gilroy, Cline, a New York sculptor named Whittier who designed the mannikins and the Murphys. But there is a handsome profit for all—TOWN TALK.

Commandeering an Organ

There was great excitement, not to say consternation, in the Tapestry room of the St. Francis last Thursday night. And well there might be, for a gang of perspiring, coatless and hatless men suddenly rushed into that sacred abode of music, gossip and liquid refreshment, and rushed out with the organ. The musicians were too bewildered to protest and the guests looked on in dumb amazement at the what's-looked-as-if-as-most-daring-and-most-public robbery that had ever been perpetrated. Those who followed the gang to the street saw them lift the organ into an express wagon, bundle it after it and disappear in a mad clatter of flying hoofs and grinding wheels up Geary street. The explanation came later. Just before the curtain rose on the last act of Bernhard's "La Sorciere" at the Columbia it was discovered that the property man had neglected to supply an organ. There was a panic to supply the scenes. Organ music supplies one of the indispensable effects for the close of the Sardou play, and there was no organ in the theater! Edward J. Sullivan, the manager of the Bernhard company, tore his hair in frenzy and muttered terrible curse words. But suddenly an inspiration came to him and he hastily telephoned to James Woods, the manager of the St. Francis. "I want to borrow the St. Francis organ," he yelled. When the situation was made clear to Woods he cheerfully lent the organ; but before he could send word to the Tapestry room an express wagon full of huskies was bearing it to the theater. The act went off well and nobody in the theater knew of the eleventh-hour contretemps which had so nearly spoiled the play.—Town Talk.

Women Have a Bar

The Chilton, the largest and most exclusive woman's club in Boston, which has just been granted a liquor license, is the envy of San Francisco women's clubs. I am told. The fact that an organization such as the Chilton, which numbers in its membership all the Back Bay leaders, should secure the right to sell to its members cocktails, highballs, sherry cobblers, horsenecks, etc., while the said members daintily puff their cigarettes, is taken to mean that all the important women's clubs in the country will be following suit. I am told that the subject of a liquor license for one of the largest San Francisco women's clubs has been discussed among the members. So far no official action has been taken, but the Chilton Club's example has been held up as a sufficient warrant for the suit clubs to follow suit. The Chilton Club not only secured a liquor license, but established a smoking room where the ladies can have their cigarettes. A lady-like bar will be installed, but most of the drinks will be served by pretty waitresses at tables and a "lady bartender" will act as mixologist. New York already permits women to enter certain bars, and get their drink over the mahogany, and now Boston, the home of culture, has a woman's club with a liquor license. But since the suffragettes are demanding the right to vote, and a lady director-general of the Panama-Pacific Exposition is to be named, there is no reason why San Francisco women's clubs should not have a license to dispense drinks to their members and friends. The wife could then explain to hubby that she had spent the evening at the club and this might explain a possible headache. Truly, this is an age of progress!—The Wasp.

The Solitaire Out of Vogue

The white solitaire diamond has almost receded into the limbo of the past as an engagement token. The girls of the last decade or so have rebelled against the sameness of the ubiquitous solitaire. In consequence it is not so easy to detect an engagement ring, for a single flashing stone is no longer the equivalent of a cardiac acknowledgment. Girls now receive rings made of many stones or single stones, and the ruby and the emerald and the sapphire and the pearl are just as apt to be employed as the diamond. Miss Helene Irwin's ring was a wonderful example that only a richly endowed man like Templeton Crocker could purchase. But possibly no stone of the season has attracted more much admiring attention as the pear-shaped blue diamond which Talbot Walker has presented to Miss Mary Keeney. It is unusual in shape, color and size, and whenever she removes her glove, attracts the attention even of the jaded eye accustomed to flashing jewels.—News Letter.

Recalls Once Famous Case

The marriage last week of Robert Brent Mitchell recalled a chapter of San Francisco history now nearly forgotten by all save those involved either directly or indirectly in the episode, which caused Robert Brent Mitchell Sr. to fly the city with the police in full pursuit, and left scores of people mourning their better known. Few stockbrokers were better known in San Francisco in 1902 and 1903 than Mitchell Sr. He had magnificent offices in the old Palace Hotel, and was noted for his large deals, as well as his wealth and social prominence. Before that time he had won fame as a lawyer, and was chief counsel in the litigation over the Fair estate. For his part in the famous case he received a fee which has been variously reported as being from \$75,000 to \$100,000. With this money he started speculating and finally doubled his capital. The lure of the stock market drew him, and he abandoned the practice of law for the brokerage business. For a time he was successful, and waxed rich. Later misfortune overtook him, and he started selling his customers' money in an endeavor to recoup his misfortune. When the crash came Mitchell fled to South America, where he is still living. It was found that he had used more than \$125,000 of the money entrusted to his care. He has made no attempt to leave his southern haven in the last eight years, and will probably end his days an ex-nec-but-free.—The Wasp.

They Forgot the Trowel

The laying of the cornerstone of the new Olympic Club went off smoothly, but there came near being a hitch in the ceremonies. The corner stones of important buildings are usually laid with silver trowels properly inscribed. But at six o'clock of the evening before the Olympic Club ceremony it was discovered that everybody had forgotten the trowel. It takes time to make a silver trowel and it takes more time to engrave it. But the Olympians were not dismayed. They hunted up the manager of one of our big jewelry establishments and had him open the shop and surremn silversmiths. Work was commenced at once and continued through the night. When the ceremony took place the following afternoon the silver trowel was ready.—Town Talk.

Those Crocker Pearls Again

A correspondent whose calligraphy shows many signs of undue excitement, writes me anent the Jennie Crocker pearls. This fair unknown—she is a woman and all women are fair in print—professes to have discovered that Miss Crocker is in possession of the pearl necklace which she is supposed to have lost at that celebrated ball at the St. Francis. And now does my correspondent prove this interesting, if unimportant assertion? By reference to the recent society vaudeville at the Valencia Theater. In that vaudeville, you remember, Miss Crocker with Miss Merritt Reid, Mrs. Fred McNear, Mrs. Worthington Ames and Mrs. Eugene Murphy, tripped forth in a musical number, "Look out for Jimmie Valentine," wearing a jupe-couture gown. Then Willard Barton, Walter Hush and Arthur Hooper, as the musical bouffons, discovered the long lost string of crocker pearls on the person of Miss Crocker. All very pretty and entertaining. But my correspondent will have it that the pearls were the real savior pearls which Miss Crocker is supposed to have lost. She gives me alleged details of the alleged loss—this sounds like journalistic skating the thin ice of libel, but really the whole thing is allegatory—which it would be indiscreet to publish here. All I can say is that if Miss Crocker really has the original pearls, she has been lost to society. I for one am not surprised. Suppose they had been misplaced instead of stolen. It would have required super-feminine courage to say so after all that pother had been kicked up.—Town Talk.

Absorbing Classic Culture

Madame Bernhardt's performance of "Phedra" at the Greek Theater last night attracted great many prominent people. It seems to have been the badge of social distinction and culture to see Bernhardt as many times as possible. It would be difficult to find anything more suggestive of intellect than a classic tragedy written by Racine and presented in a Greek Theater by the first actress of Paris. To enjoy this superb treat the women submitted to having their noses unburned and their complexions freckled and chapped by the gleaming April sun and the breeze blowing from the north. All the ladies tried to raise their parasols for protection, but such desecration of the impressive scene was promptly discouraged by the ushers, and the sunshade came down reluctantly. Here and there, as the tragedy was unfolded by Bernhardt and her company, a paroxysm would erupt up, but as quickly would collapse under a shower of feminine protests. The women declared Bernhardt's French exquisite and the tragedy superb, and returned home with their physical appetites sharpened for dinner and their hunger for classic culture satisfied with the knowledge that Phedra was a Grecian lady who in this age would be qualified for first rank in the Reno divorce colony.—The Wasp.

Novel Role for Matinee Idol

You have seen Thurston Hall, erstwhile leading man, in comedy, at the Alcazar. That was before Lucille Perry Hall, his wife, appeared, fighting his affinity, one Amy Dale, to plumb the very same week, by the way, that the actor was making flights of his own in "The Aviator," matinee idol, as was Miss Jennie and Templeton Crocker. She is the daughter of Charles B. Alexander whose wife was Hattie Crocker.—Town Talk.

Is Miss Schultz Wavering?

The fact that Miss Elyse Schultz was observed one day this week at Shreve's giving orders for the fitting of a large diamond ring has caused many to wonder whether this interesting girl was wavering in her devotion to single blessedness. There may be something in this speculation. Miss Schultz has had lots of suitors, but the attentions of two are particularly marked at the present time. One of them is a lawyer prominent in his profession. His intimates have usually regarded him as a bachelor of the disfiguring confirmed variety, but one is never surprised when a confirmed bachelor capitulates to the charms of a pretty girl. The other devoted man is a millionaire of considerable note. Was it one of these who presented the diamond ring without taking the exact measure of Miss Schultz's finger.—Town Talk.

Real Baronet This Time

One of the first questions Sir H. Lynch-Blosse asked on his arrival here the other day was, "What has become of my namesake?" No one knew, and few even knew to whom the Irish lord referred, although the attaches of the old Palace knew who was meant, as did several of the Burlingame set, and Jules Clerfayt. The "namesake" was a clever impostor who came to San Francisco in 1904 and registered at the Palace as "H. Lynch-Blosse, Dublin." He was soon invited to a number of social affairs, and within a few days was hobnobbing with the most exclusive of the exclusives. He modestly told of his own bravery during the Boer war, and showed not only the Victoria Cross, but a variety of other decorations, which he claimed were given him as a tribute to his valor on the field of battle. Exclusive homes opened their doors to him; Burlingame feted him; life was one sweet song. One day he confided to the Palace Hotel management that a remittance had been delayed. Tut, tut, why mention such a trifle like that? He confided the same to certain wealthy Blingum residents. They instantly advanced goodly sums. This continued. He married a Chicago girl, and was feted in San Francisco. Finally the girl's parents arrived and she went home with them. He cashed several checks and vanished. Society was agast. All their hospitality had been lavished on an impostor! The Palace Hotel mourned, as did many Burlingame polo players. It was for this reason that the genuine Sir H. Lynch-Blosse asked for his "namesake," and also why certain of those who recalled the story with sadness clutched their pocket-books and check-books in a protecting manner. And now the real owner of the name comes to see the city that welcomed his bogus self so cordially.—The Wasp.

Work of Clover Press Agent

Wilson Mizner and his versatile brother, Addison Mizner, have been out of the limelight so long that they welcome with true-hearted glee the suit filed by the actress, Grace Van Studdiford, against Addison for \$5000 as damages alleged to have been caused by the Mizner ape who is said to have destroyed furniture, bric-a-brac, pet poodles and the peace of mind of the fair Miss Van Studdiford to the amount of the above-mentioned sum. Wilson Mizner's San Francisco friends have shrugged their shoulders, and many well-known press agents have gazed with envy at the space allotted to the "story" by the big daily papers. Of course they do not say the story is purely a press agent yarn got up for the sole purpose of keeping the parties involved in the glare of the calcium, but they envy the brain that hit on so novel a scheme—if scheme it was—to secure advertisement that could be scarcely bought. And the old time press agents are laughing to think how easy it was to "help one over" on the daily press. They are only envious.—The Wasp.

Mrs. Alexander Is Here

Mrs. Henry Alexander of New York is receiving much attention from the friends of her daughter, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Jr. She is a youthful appearing woman who might be taken for the sister of her daughter. They bear a strong resemblance to each other and by many people Mrs. Alexander is voted the prettier. Mother and daughter were lunching at the St. Francis a few days since and attracted admiring glances. Mrs. Alexander wore a purple cloth suit with black braiding and a hat of purple straw in one of the new shapes. Mrs. Roosevelt's costume was blue and she had a becoming red bow on her hat. Mrs. Roosevelt, by the way, is partial to low collars. Most of her frocks are finished with them and she has some Irish lace collars that are the work of her own hands. Miss Harriet Alexander of New York who was presented at court in London last week is the cousin of Mrs. Alexander, as well as Miss Jennie and Templeton Crocker. She is the daughter of Charles B. Alexander whose wife was Hattie Crocker.—Town Talk.

Mrs. Atherton's New Novel

The novel on which Gertrude Atherton will soon commence work in her favorite city of Munich will be founded on the play of "Julia France," which she wrote for Mrs. Fiske and which that actress is expected produce next winter. "The Usual Way," says Mrs. Atherton, "is to dramatize a novel or novelette a drama. I am going to write the novel, which is another affair altogether. What strikes me is the thought that this is pre-eminently a woman's epoch, as there have been other women's epochs in the history of the world. That is the big canvas behind the play, and novel, which last, I suppose, will occupy me all summer. When winter comes I shall probably settle in Winchester in order to write another "Senator North." My American publisher and friend, whom I humbly obey, says a new world of American politics has evolved since "Senator North" was written and no doubt he is right, as usual.—Town Talk.

Breach of Promise in Merced

Down Merced way they are sympathizing with George Bloss who has been sued for breach of promise by Mrs. Bernice Bird Dixon who wants \$50,000 for damaged affections. In March Bloss was married to an estimable young lady of Merced and their honeymoon was rudely interrupted by the action of Mrs. Bird Dixon. He is one of the wealthy ranchers of San Joaquin Valley, where his father, George Bloss Sr. amassed a fortune. The old man's only daughter married Julian Horne of San Francisco, and is prominent in the social life of the city.—Town Talk.

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Hansbrough Brothers, the contractors for the quay wall on the harbor front, between the foot of Myrtle and that of Clay streets, have excavated the west end of the trench to within eleven feet of the depth necessary to be attained to begin laying the foundation of the reinforced concrete structure which will rest on hardpan bottom, thirty feet below ordinary low tide level. The total depth of the trench from the surface of the ground will be, when finished, about forty-two feet. The trench between the walls of timber supporting the surface foundation of mud and sand is forty feet in width. Hardpan was reached at a depth of less than twenty feet. At that point the trench has been contracted to twenty-five feet in width, which leaves a bench about seven feet wide on each side.

PROTECT TRENCH.
As the hardpan is firm enough to be self sustaining, these benches serve as buttresses to protect the trench proper from any possible sliding in of the twenty foot upper ground. Once the lower level of the trench is reached the work of excavation will proceed with much greater rapidity than it has been doing since the hydraulic motor began to be operated. The hardpan furnishes an ideal foundation for the base of the quay wall, being as firm and unyielding as solid rock. Crushed rock is being delivered from the quarries of the firm on barges. An enormous pile is already stacked on the ground. Wall construction will be started as soon as the trench is excavated far enough ahead to make it possible.

DISABLED LINER LIMPS IN PORT

The Admiral Farragut Passes Sandy Hook After Collision at Sea.

ON BOARD THE ADMIRAL FARRAGUT, via Wireless, May 13.—"We are making fair progress to New York notwithstanding the fact that our port bow was crushed in by the collision with the steamer Merida. Captain Mader says we were off the Barnegat lighthouse at 6:30 o'clock this morning and expects to be off Sandy Hook about noon.
"The sea is smooth and there is a light fog. The Admiral Farragut is in no danger, as the collision bulkhead has been reinforced."

NEW YORK, May 13.—The Farragut passed Sandy Hook shortly after 12 o'clock and proceeded to a Brooklyn drydock, where she will make repairs.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls heal up quickly when BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

Through Sleeper to Truckee. Commencing May 14, on train leaving Oakland 10th street depot at 7:15 p. m., daily through sleeper will be carried to Truckee through the opening of the Lake Tahoe season. For further information see any S. P. agent.

LATEST NEWS FROM OUTSIDE TOWNS

HOUSE WARMING IS HELD BY CLUB

Latham Terrace Association Meets for First Time in School Auditorium.

FRUITVALE, May 13.—Members of the Latham Terrace Improvement Club held a house warming in the assembly room of the Manzanillo school last night, as a fitting celebration of their first meeting in the new quarters set aside for them by the Board of Education. The opening of this assembly room for the meetings of the various civic organizations, consisting of the Playgrounds Commission, Latham Terrace Improvement Club and the school board is the first step to be taken along this line in the county.

Many addresses were made by the members of the club and visitors commending the attitude taken by the school board in preparing for the growing needs of the various civic organizations which are doing great work in securing playgrounds for the children, modern buildings and up to date methods of teaching. President E. W. Hyden and Secretary W. S. Foss ordered a committee of three, Frank Hill, R. C. Hummel and C. S. King, to draw up a set of resolutions commending the action of the Board of Education in their calling for a set of school bonds to be submitted to the people of this city within a few days.

SCHOOL BOND MEETING SCHEDULED TONIGHT

ALLENDALE, May 13.—Under the auspices of the Central Improvement Club, a mass meeting will be held in the Alameda Grand opera house tonight at which many prominent speakers, including Superintendent of Schools J. W. McClymonds, Christopher Ruess, Harry Boyle, Robert Robertson and A. C. Barker will speak on the coming school bond issue.

DRIVES HIS AUTO INTO A SALOON

John Juhasse Risks Death to Avoid Running Down Children.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Twenty-five men drinking and idling in a First avenue saloon late last night, experienced a spasm of terror when a powerful racing automobile leaped through the plate glass window, pushed its way through the door and came to a standstill in the debris, just as the rear wheels cleared the window sill. The men scattered wildly and returning a few moments later, liberated John Juhasse and his wife. Juhasse is a noted racing driver and holder of the Brighton Beach race track one hour record.

Juhasse had deliberately pointed his car at the window to avoid running down two children who toddled, hand in hand, directly in front of the car. He wrecked the car and was glad of it, he said, so long as he had saved their lives.

BILLY WILLIAMS TO SPEAK TO YOUNG MEN

Billy Williams, the drummer evangelist, will speak at the meeting for young men at the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. His subject will be, "A Young Man and His Company."

BOYS' BAND TO PLAY AT HAYWARD

The Success of San Leandro Show Inspires Members to Make Plans.

HAYWARD, May 13.—Having met with success at their annual show at San Leandro last week, the members of the San Leandro Boys' Club are now making preparations to appear in the Native Sons hall here next Saturday evening. The program to be submitted will be practically the same as that they showed in San Leandro, consisting of fifteen numbers besides the concert to be given by the orchestra.

SPLENDID HOMES IN CHERRYLAND

Many Fine Residences Being Erected in Recently Opened Tract.

HAYWARD, May 13.—Buildings have been going up rapidly throughout the Cherryland district, many of them some of the finest residences in this section. E. W. Burr of San Francisco, prominent in the affairs of the Alameda Sugar company, has made arrangements for the erection of a new home on this tract to cost, when completed, a little more than \$15,000. Another contract has been recently let by a San Francisco business man for a residence to cost \$20,000.

PREDICTS RECORD FOR GOLD OUTPUT

\$10,000,000 Season at Hand for Alaska, Says Banker.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 13.—"From information which I have received from the North this spring, I believe that the gold output of Interior Alaska this season should be close to \$10,000,000," said W. H. Parsons, a prominent banker to production of Northern camps.

"I look for operators in the Fairbanks district to clean up approximately \$3,500,000. The Koyuk district should produce about \$1,500,000 and other camps in that part of Alaska \$500,000 more. Best advices from the Iditarod indicate a clean up of between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000. My estimate does not take into consideration Nome.
"Gliding has commenced at Fairbanks and the first gold should reach Seattle within a month. Nearly \$1,000,000 worth of gold has accumulated at Fairbanks during the winter. This has come in small lots from various outlying camps."

CLUB TO ENTERTAIN.
ALAMEDA, May 13.—The Shakespeare Club has issued invitations for a reception to be held Saturday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock at Adelphi hall. May entertaining program has been arranged for the evening.

FRUITVALE BOARD DOWN TO WORK

Will Ask for Bituminizing of East Fourteenth Street.

FRUITVALE, May 13.—Members of the Fruitvale Board of Trade are making preparations to get back into the saddle after the campaign. Next Thursday night they will take up their work again. The first move will be to appoint committees and draw up resolutions which are to be presented to the Board of Public Works, asking that East Fourteenth street be bituminized. This issue was taken up by the members several months ago but was never carried to a point where anything definite could be done. Besides fixing the street the Board will call for a safety station, similar to those in San Francisco, to be erected at East Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue. This is considered one of the busiest corners in the entire annexed district during the busy hours.

A plan for advertising the district will also be discussed by the Board and a committee will probably be appointed to interview some of the members of the Hayward Chamber of Commerce and secure a copy of the plans which they have formulated for the publicity of their town.

CLASS OF 1911 TO BE GUESTS OF STUDENTS

HAYWARD, May 13.—The class of 1912 of the Hayward High School will entertain the class of 1911 at an informal dance on the evening of June 2, in the Native Sons hall. The junior class is sparing no expense in their plans. Flowers, greens and ribbons of the school colors will be strung around the ball room. The senior class will hold on June 9 in the same hall.

KANSANS HONOR NOTED PIONEER

Van Horn Day Celebrated by Residents of Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 13.—In honor of Colonel E. T. Van Horn, who in 1855 began the publication of Kansas City's first newspaper, the Journal of Commerce, which later became the Kansas City Journal, the Kansas City Historical Society is today observing "Van Horn Day."

A feature of the meeting was the presentation to the organization of a large photograph of Colonel Van Horn taken while he was seated in the chair Daniel Webster occupied while a member of the United States Senate. This chair is owned by Colonel Van Horn. Colonel Van Horn will be 87 years old on May 19. He has been active in public life. In 1861 and in 1865 he was elected Mayor of Kansas City. While in the field during the Civil War, he was elected a member of the Missouri State Senate. He was elected to Congress in 1864, 1865, 1868, 1869 and 1894. He retired in 1895.

COMES TO AMERICA ONLY TO BE SLAIN

ASTORIA, Ore., May 13.—According to the verdict of a coroner's jury, Ole Johnson, who arrived in Astoria April 1 from Norway, and whose body was found floating in the Columbia river a few days ago, was murdered. When the body was found it was pronounced a case of suicide by shooting. The jury found that Johnson had \$400 when he arrived in Astoria, and that although he was a man of eccentric habits, only \$17 was found on the body and that secreted in one of his socks.

CONGRESSMEN TAKE SEVERAL DAYS' REST

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The House having adjourned yesterday until Tuesday, many of its members took advantage of the opportunity to go to their homes. As the Senate has adjourned until Monday, there was very little legislative activity at the capital.
There will be a fight on the statehood bill when it is called up Tuesday, and Representative Flood, chairman of the committee on territories, expects the debate to continue for three or four days.

U. S. TRAINING STATION AT CHICAGO TO OPEN

CHICAGO, May 13.—The United States training station on Lake Michigan at North Chicago will open July 1, according to announcement made yesterday.
The formal dedication, which is to be attended by the President, the secretary of the navy and others, will take place in September. There will be fifteen officers, from the rank of rear-admiral down to the station, and all told 100 instructors and officers for the 1600 to 2000 men in each six months' quota.

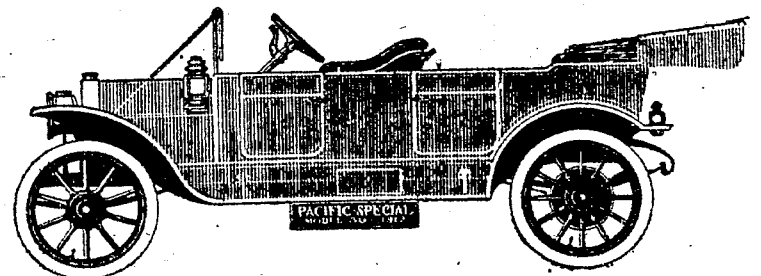
MASSACHUSETTS CITY CALLS WESTERN PASTOR

MELROSE, Mass., May 13.—The Rev. Otto Dury of Everett, Wash., has been called to the Melrose Unitarian Church, a wealthy congregation. He is a native of Madison, Ohio, and was educated at the University of Ohio and at Berkeley, Cal.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL PUPILS TO GO ON PICNIC

FITCHBURG, May 13.—The Sunday school of the First Congregational church of this city will give a picnic next Saturday in the fields back of Tolar heights. A large number of the pupils and their friends are expected to be present.

AUTOMOBILE Manufacturing Plant FOR OAKLAND



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The California Motor Car Company is capitalized for \$250,000 and is now offering the stock for sale at the par value of \$1.00 (one) dollar per share.

From the interest shown in the proposition the balance of the shares for sale will have been disposed of in the next few days.

It is a very rare occurrence for the public to be able to buy shares in an automobile factory, as the stock generally is subscribed for by a few men of means.

We believe that those who buy California Motor Car Company stock will find it one of the most profitable investments they have ever made.

The men at the head of the concern have years of business experience behind them and are devoting their entire time to the advancement of the company.

All stockholders share in proportion to the amount of stock they hold equally in the disbursement of any profits that may accrue.

Do not hesitate, but send in your subscriptions at once, as we expect to close our books within the next few days.

The factory is situated on High street and Southern Pacific tracks in Melrose. It is a

two-story reinforced concrete steel frame building and the floor space is approximately 50,000 square feet.

There is at the present time a steady drain on the State in the purchase of automobiles, in that nearly \$12,000,000 is sent yearly to the east. Why not keep as much of that money here as possible?

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Second—The profits will be kept at home.

Third—Local people will be given the preference wherever possible.

They are going to manufacture a fore-door five-passenger touring car, fully equipped, made of the very best material to sell for \$1750 f. o. b. factory.

The car will be known as "Pacific Special 30" and will compare with much higher-priced cars.

Subscriptions for stock will be received either at the Union Savings Bank, Oakland, or at the main offices of the California Motor Car Company, Kohl Building, San Francisco, California. Phone Douglas 2749.

Read What the Special Investigating Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Says About the Proposition

To the Board of Directors of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce:

May 6th, 1911.

Your committee appointed to investigate the proposition of the establishment of a plant in Oakland by the California Motor Car Company, respectfully reports that we have given the matter careful consideration and are convinced of the reliability of the gentlemen interested, and of their determination to establish an industry here which will be of great benefit to Oakland, involving a large expenditure of money in the plant and the extensive employment of labor.

We believe that the establishment of a factory by the California Motor Car Company in Oakland will be the beginning of an important feature in the manufacture of motor cars and accessories, and feel that the undertaking is in the hands of men of financial responsibility and experience in the manufacturing line and is one which is worthy of the indorsement of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce as a most desirable enterprise to be secured to this city.

Very respectfully,

THE COMMITTEE.

C. J. HEESEMAN,
GEORGE E. RANDOLPH,
GEORGE E. WADDELL.

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THE MEDDLER



MISS HELEN LOWDEN, an attractive member of the younger set. —Scharz, Photo.



MISS LUCILE JEFFS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffs of this city.

THE week has been full of social dates of far more than the usual degree of interest. Mrs. William Thornton White and Mrs. Charles Townsend have been hostesses at two of the largest teas of the week, and Mrs. T. C. Coogan was hostess yesterday at a delightful bridge afternoon. Luncheons and dinners have followed each other in quick succession, and this May time is the most brilliant ending of the brightest social season we have known in many years.

Mrs. William Thornton White (Katherine Brown) is the most generous of all the young matrons on our side of the bay, and she is rapidly establishing her claim to be one of the most popular. As a young girl, Katherine Brown would always share with her young girl friends in a generous, informal fashion that was charming. And now that she has her own home, and she carried into it that same system of entertaining which made many happy times for her friends. A young matron, in her own home, she has carried into it, if she only has the will to do so. And Mrs. William White has all the inclination, and she is able to plan along very effective lines. One can do a great deal in a social way if one is clever, and Mrs. White is far-and-away the best-read young matron of her social set. The Whites have an ideal home on Vernon Heights, so artistically planned that it has called out many compliments; and no young matron has done more in the line of entertaining in a new home than has Mrs. White.

Miss Charlotte Hall has been one of her friends since their early childhood days, and the compliment to this happy and popular bride-elect was specially appropriate.

Over three hundred people responded to Mrs. White's invitations, and the reception was one of the best attended teas of the year and one of the most brilliant social functions of the late season.

Mrs. White's home on Wednesday was ideally beautiful. All the rooms were thrown open and the many vistas were charming.

The home of the William Whites is furnished throughout in rare mahogany, whose color tones are so very restful, and lend themselves so readily to harmony of atmosphere.

The decorations were very artistic, and the lovely home was a perfect bower of bloom. In the drawing-room were gorgeous roses, American Beauties and Duchesse, the latter in exquisite tones of pink, and the dining room was done in pink hawthorn, superbly arranged. The centerpiece of the table was in coral tones, and a mass of hawthorn lent a fine effect to a most perfectly appointed table. Punch was served on the picturesque veranda, adjoining the conservatory and looking out upon the charming terraced garden. The wide veranda is lined with flower boxes, full of spring bloom, and the garden also shows wonderful spring flowers. Many of the guests enjoyed

the hour on the wide veranda, so much like the shady Italian loggias.

BEAUTIFUL GOWNS ARE IN EVIDENCE.

Some of the most beautiful gowns seen anywhere this season were in evidence at Mrs. White's tea in honor of Miss Charlotte Hall.

The hostess, Mrs. White, was a most stunning study, in a superb lingerie gown of white lace, with beautiful hand embroidery, and she wore very handsome orchids.

Mrs. White and Miss Charlotte Hall look exceedingly well together. Both are tall, and both carry themselves extremely well. They have poise and dignity.

Miss Charlotte Hall was charming as she received her greetings of her many friends. She wore an exceedingly becoming and very dainty gown in pink silk, veiled with white marquisette, the latter embroidered in tiny pink roses.

She wore a necklace of pearls, and a pearl pin, and her costume was perfectly planned, and one of the most charming in the large assemblage.

Mrs. Samuel P. Hall, the mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Thomas Knowles (Ruth Kales) presided at the table in the dining room.

Mrs. Hall is one of the most beautiful of our well known matrons; she has perfect coloring, and the sweet, optimistic ways, which carry their own special charm.

Mrs. Hall was a very handsome picture in one of the most gorgeous and original costumes of the afternoon. Her stunning gown was of peacock satin, veiled in black marquisette and jet, with touches of pale rose and peacock embroidery. The color tones were original, and the gown was most becoming.

Mrs. Thomas Knowles poured coffee, and she was a dainty study in a very pretty gown in Dresden effects, the gown beautifully trimmed in lace.

Miss Ruth Hall was in the receiving party, and she, like her sister Charlotte, is a very handsome girl, of the tall and stately type. She was gowned in pink chiffon over pink messaline and she looked extremely well.

Miss Viva Nicholson was one of the most attractive members of the receiving party, and she was beautifully gowned in white satin, with a lace over-dress. The drape of the over-dress was specially well planned, coming from the shoulders in the straight lines now so much in vogue.

EFFECTIVE HOBBLE ATTIRE INTERESTS.

Mrs. George Greenwood wore a very chic gown of apple green chiffon over apple-green messaline. The gown was very much hobbled, and was most effectively planned.

Mrs. Charles D. Bates, who was in the receiving party, wore a very becoming white lingerie gown, most elaborately hand-embroidered.

Mrs. John Valentine wore a gown

of white silk, beautifully trimmed in lace.

Mrs. Walter Starr wore a dainty gown in white lingerie effect, beautifully trimmed in lace.

Mrs. George Hammer is always a very attractive member of any receiving party. She wore a very elaborate gown of white lace, with effective trimmings of old rose.

Mrs. Irving Burrell wore an effective gown planned along very original lines. The gown was of white net, very exquisitely trimmed in pink marabout.

Mrs. Seymour Hall wore a gown of white satin, beautifully trimmed in point lace.

Mrs. Frank L. Brown was a luncheon hostess on Wednesday, and came with her guests to the tea, after the luncheon. She wore a handsome and very elaborate gown of white lace, the gown set off by a wide picture hat, elaborately trimmed in gorgeous yellow ostrich plumes.

Mrs. A. L. Stone was among those who came across from San Francisco for the tea, and Mrs. William Volkman (Gladys Meek) also came over to Mrs. White's reception. Mrs. Volkman, who has just returned from the East, wore a very handsome New York gown.

Mrs. George Gross is one of the most attractive of the younger matrons one is meeting at social affairs this spring. She was gowned at the tea in black satin, and her hat represented one of the newer spring styles—a wide picture hat, lighted with the popular cerise tones.

Mrs. Pease was also most attractively gowned, and she, like her sister, is most always gowned in much good taste.

Mrs. Charles Tripler Hutchinson has certainly one of the most elaborate reception gowns of the year. Its color tones are perfectly planned, and along Parisian lines. The gown of white satin is most beautifully trimmed in cerise, and in a fine arrangement of lace, and coral ornaments adds to the fine effect of the bright color scheme.

ELABORATE COSTUME TRIMMED IN LACE.

Mrs. John F. Conners wore a handsome gown of pale blue messaline, elaborately trimmed in lace. The costume was completed by a black picture hat, elaborately trimmed in blue ostrich plumes.

Mrs. A. L. White assisted her daughter-in-law in receiving the

many guests of the afternoon. Mrs. White wore a handsome gown of white lace, and her ornaments were diamonds.

Mrs. Hazel Palmanteer gave a bridge party or sixty guests, and at the close of the bridge game all of them adjourned to Vernon Heights, to Mrs. White's tea.

Mrs. P. J. Kenna was beautifully gowned in black, the gown of black chiffon over satin being elaborately trimmed in black lace.

Miss Madeline Clay wore a pretty gown of Alice Blue, with a hat in tones of blue, and the necklace and ear-rings were also in blue to match the gown.

Mrs. Lester Greene (Mollie Mathes) was a very stunning study, in one of the beautiful troussau gowns, in which she has looked so very well this spring.

Among the many prominent people invited to Mrs. William White's reception in honor of Miss Hall were:

Mrs. Frank C. Havens, Mrs. J. P. Neville, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. A. Moore, Mrs. John Louis Leche, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Mrs. Maurice Walsh, Mrs. Anna Thomson, Mrs. Aldrich Barton, Mrs. Carmen Sutton, Mrs. C. G. Clay, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. Johanna Volkman, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Stuart Hawley, Mrs. D. E. Mathes, Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs. Oscar Long, Mrs. Guy Earl, Mrs. Sarah Horton, Mrs. E. B. Folger, Mrs. Frederick Stratton, Mrs. Miror Goodall, Mrs. A. Schilling, Mrs. William Pierce, Mrs. Louis Montague, Mrs. Harrison Clay, Mrs. Francis Johnson, Mrs. Harry East, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Mrs. E. B. Moore, Mrs. William Magee, Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Mrs. Irving Lundberg, Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Mrs. Robert Bentley, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. William de Fremery, Mrs. Grace Sperry, Mrs. E. P. Dunn, Mrs. Sam Brock, Mrs. T. B. Coghill, Mrs. Hugh Webster, Mrs. Stanley Chickering, Mrs. William Willard, Mrs. Dora Bolden, Mrs. Frederick Farnum, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. George E. Perkins, Mrs. Philip Clay, Mrs. Charles R. Alled, Mrs. Helen Lewis, Mrs. William Houghton, Mrs. Lilla Lovell, Mrs. Charles R. Alled, Mrs. Sule Harold, Mrs. Vera Havemeyer, Mrs. Madeline Clay, Mrs. Harry Sawyer, Mrs. Edith Beck, Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. Orrick, Mrs. Harriet Stone, Mrs. Edward Hall, Mrs. Charles E. Parcells, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. Charles Bitters, Mrs. Andrew Mosley, Mrs. George E. Perkins, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. D. H. Mathes, Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Mrs. Charles Rodolph, Mrs. Charles Hubbard, Mrs. De Golia, Mrs. Beale Reed, Mrs. Frederick, Mrs. Henry Sander, Mrs. William Childs, Mrs. William Wilcox, Mrs. A. S. McDonald, Mrs. Frederick Stoltz, Mrs. Mark L. Bequa, Mrs. William Moller.

attractive and was most artistic, with decorations of beautiful pink roses and Spanish ferns.

Those who assisted the young hostess in receiving were:

Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Miss Phoebe Smith, Mrs. C. M. Hill, Mrs. Leroy Briggs, Mrs. Benjamin Smith, Miss Florence French, Mrs. George Lackie, Miss Jean Scupham, Mrs. Frank Kinsey, Miss Marian Hook, Mrs. Earl Lindsey, Miss Helen High.

Among those present were:

Miss Fay Chapman, Misses Collins, Miss Evelyn Hanesy, Mrs. Clyde Shrader, Mrs. Roy Baker, Mrs. Alice Hoyt, Mrs. Berline Bronson, Mrs. Hart Wilcox, Mrs. Charles Townsend, Mrs. Margaret Taylor, Mrs. Hurd, Mrs. Charles Morley, Mrs. Justin McKibben, Mrs. Roy Warner, Mrs. Charles Morley, Mrs. Vance McDermott, Mrs. John Charles Adams, Mrs. Ida Grossmayer, Mrs. Edith Ricker, Mrs. Emma Finch, Mrs. Muriel Kelly.

MRS. ALLEN BABCOCK ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

Another interesting tea of the week was that given by Mrs. Allen Babcock at her home on Lake street, on Wednesday afternoon. The Babcocks have the Sumner Bugbee residence, which is so very picturesque, and Mrs. Babcock entertained in honor of Mrs. Robert Mack, who was formerly Miss Alice Lohman.

The Lohmans, in pioneer days, were prominent residents of the Lakeside district, and they built the large home at the foot of Madison street, since bought by the Kleemans.

Mrs. Babcock invited many of Mrs. Mack's old friends to meet her, and the tea represented a reunion of many families who have known each other very well indeed for years. Among those invited to this delightful tea were:

Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Andrew Mosley, Mrs. Everts, Mrs. Bina Mosley, Mrs. Florence Brown, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mrs. John A. Stanley, Mrs. William White, Mrs. T. B. Coghill, Mrs. H. C. Tait, Mrs. Frederick Stratton, Mrs. Arthur Chellin, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. William Hall, Mrs. Caroline Little, Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. Constance Meeks, Mrs. Sam Brock, Mrs. N. A. Acker, Mrs. William Little, Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. William Ketcham, Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Charles E. Allen, Mrs. Seymour Hall, Mrs. Charles Tripler, Mrs. Henshaw Ward, Mrs. Charles E. Allen, Mrs. Nellie Adams, Mrs. J. R. Barnes, Mrs. Albert Brayton, Mrs. Charles D. Bates.

Mrs. and Mrs. Mack have for some years made their home in Holland, and have only recently returned to California.

SUN SHINES AT TOWNSEND FETE.

For once, Fortune was kind to the hostess who planned a Fete champagne. Usually it is a cloudy day, with cold winds whispering a gloomy message. But for Mrs. Charles Townsend there were cloudless skies, and the sun shone on the green lawns, and the sun shone on the outdoor tea she planned for her friends.

Mrs. Townsend made her guests of

honor Mrs. Arthur Markwart (Miss Chesebrough) and Mrs. Lester A. Greene (Mollie Mathes), who are brides of the year, and are her cousins, and for Mrs. Charles Hubbard, who was formerly Miss George Strong.

"Glen Echo," so long the home of the Hunts, is one of the most picturesque of our country homes. It is a delightful glen at the foot of the Piedmont hills, and Nature has done much for it in the way of beauty. It makes an ideal setting for an outdoor fete and the beautiful grounds made a series of most attractive pictures.

It was such a balmy day, with the sunshine pouring over the picturesque dale, that the guests were all able to wear the dainty gowns that add so much to the color scheme of an outdoor fete.

The hostess wore a hand embroidered white lingerie gown, and many of the guests were also in dainty lingerie gowns, or in flowered organdies, with Dresden effects. Wide picture hats, trimmed in the new color tones added to the color notes of the gay scene, and the fete champagne in honor of the popular young brides of the spring scored a decided social success.

Tea and dainty refreshments were served under the shady trees, and indoors there were lovely places, which invited one to a restful half hour. The drawing-room was very beautiful in pink hawthorn, and quantities of iris, very deftly arranged, made the dining-room a charming study in blue and white.

There were nearly a hundred guests at this delightful out-of-door tea, and among the very dainty costumes of the hour were those worn by:

Mrs. Arthur Markwart, Mrs. Arthur Tashira, Mrs. Lester Greene, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Charles P. Hubbard, Mrs. May Coogan, Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Mrs. William White, Mrs. D. H. Mathes, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. George Rodolph, Mrs. O. S. Orrick, Mrs. V. W. Garth, Mrs. Elizabeth Orrick.

MANY GUESTS AT HENSHAW CARD TABLES.

Two card hostesses of the week have been Mrs. William G. Henshaw and Miss Hazel Palmanteer, both of whom entertained an unusually large number of guests.

Mrs. Henshaw's bridge afternoon included among the guests members of the various card clubs to which Mrs. Henshaw belongs. The bridge afternoon was given at the Claremont Country Club, and Mrs. Henshaw was assisted in receiving her guests by her daughters, Mrs. Harry Chickering and Miss Florence Henshaw. Mrs. Chickering was beautifully gowned in blue messaline, veiled in blue spangled marquisette, and Miss Henshaw was in pink, the gown

showing a decided hobble effect, and veiled in pink marquisette.

Among those invited to Mrs. Henshaw's bridge afternoon were:

Miss Alice Grimes, Mrs. E. R. Folger, Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Florence Henshaw, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. J. P. Dunn, Mrs. Loring Langstroth, Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs. E. B. Beck, Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. N. A. Acker, Mrs. Harold Spencer, Mrs. A. Schilling, Mrs. J. R. Barnes, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Charles Hutchison, Miss May Coogan.

SIXTY ARE PRESENT AT PALMANTEER AFFAIR.

Miss Hazel Palmanteer was also a hostess of Wednesday, entertaining about sixty guests at the family home on Madison street. The guest list was made up of her young girl friends and a few of the younger matrons. The Palmanteers have been in mourning for some months, and most of the past winter has been spent in the east, so no social events have been planned by the family for some time.

The house was very prettily decorated in roses and blossoms and iris, and it made a very attractive setting for groups of most charming young people. A fascinating bridge game was the order of the hour, after which refreshments were served. Later almost all Miss Palmanteer's guests took their way to Vernon Heights to Mrs. William White's tea.

Miss Palmanteer was assisted in receiving her guests by her mother, Mrs. William G. Palmanteer, and by her sister, Mrs. Frederick Snowden. Miss Ethel Palmanteer, who is at school in Boston, is planning to return to California for the summer.

Among those included in Miss Palmanteer's invitations were:

Miss Dorothy Van Sicken, Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, Mrs. Jessie Craig, Mrs. Bina Mosley, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. Madeline Gray, Mrs. Aldrich Barton, Mrs. George Creed, Mrs. Norma Castle, Mrs. Lester Greene, Mrs. William Childs, Mrs. Charles Creed, Mrs. Clarence Shuy, Mrs. Dorothy Tait, Mrs. Bessie Reed, Mrs. George English, Mrs. Hiram Hall, Mrs. Anna Thomson, Mrs. Henry Ray Lande, Miss Charlotte Hall, Mrs. Helen Lowden, Miss Ruth Hall, Mrs. Charles Leche.

WEST OAKLAND HOME BOARD PLANS CARDS.

The board of managers of the West Oakland Home have planned a card party for the afternoon of Wednesday, May 24. The affair will take place at the Home Club, which always forms such a delightful setting for gatherings of this sort, and there will doubtless be a large attendance, as the home is one of the pet charities of local philanthropic people. One hears that the proceeds are to be used in improving the grounds of the institution and thus affording the

SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK



MRS. ROBERT FITZGERALD, who belongs to the younger group of society matrons.

MRS. CYRUS ABBOTT, whose marriage was solemnized this week.

motherless children a suitable playground.

Among the members of the board of managers are:

Mrs. J. C. Cross Mrs. C. M. Orr
Mrs. E. J. Boyce Mrs. A. Hutchinson
Mrs. Edward Hoffman Mrs. Charles Beugler
Mrs. R. D. Holmes Mrs. Eugene Van Court
Mrs. Frank Prussia Mrs. John Laughland
Mrs. F. M. Ralston Mrs. F. B. Ladd
Mrs. G. G. Cummings

MISS MARGARET MOORE ATTRACTIVE HOSTESS.

Miss Margaret Moore was the attractive young hostess at a delightful dancing party given at the Claremont Country Club Thursday evening. Miss Moore is the youngest daughter of the A. A. Moores and a very clever girl. She is a student at the university and so busy with her books that she has time for only a very few social dates.

The guest of honor was fascinating Albertine Detrick, whose engagement to John Alexander, recently announced, was such a surprise to everyone.

Miss Moore was assisted in receiving her guests by the different members of her family, among whom are Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Miss Ethel Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starr, and Mr. and Mrs. Edington Detrick Jr.

Among the very dainty gowns of the evening were those worn by Mrs. Loraine Lang, Miss Olive Wheeler, Miss Fanny Creed, Miss Helen Berthout, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss Amy Bowles, Miss Eliza McCallum, Miss Florence Henshaw, Miss Marian Crocker, Miss Dorothy Tart, and Miss Harriet Stone.

GRACEY'S PLAY TO VISIT IN OAKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gracey (Enid Yale) are planning to return to California for a vacation visit to Mrs. Gracey's parents, the Charles G. Yales. Mr. Gracey is the American consul at Nankin, and he is one of the best known Americans in China, having lived there for twenty years. There will be many complimentary affairs planned for Mrs. Gracey by old friends of her school girl days.

REQUAS TO SPEND SUMMER IN SOUTH.

Preparations for the coming holidays go briskly forward, and many well-known Oakland people are making plans for a long stay at Santa Barbara. Mrs. Isaac Regua has taken a cottage at Miramar, one of the most picturesque of the lovely Santa Barbara suburbs. One can drive from Miramar to the beach every day, and bathing in the surf forms one of the summer's enjoyment. Among the best swimmers is Mrs. Isaac Regua herself, who has taught all her grandchildren to swim. She will have with her at Santa Barbara this summer her two granddaughters, the Misses Amy and Sally Long.

Mrs. Mark Regua has also taken a cottage at Santa Barbara this season. Instead of going to Tahoe, as she did last year. The children, Amy and Alice Regua and Lawrence Regua, are very fond of Santa Barbara, and are looking forward to delightful vacation days there.

Mrs. Edson Adams and her children

will leave for Santa Barbara as soon as the school year closes, and the Henshaws have taken a delightful home there which they intend to occupy during the entire summer. So the Oakland contingent this year will be well represented in the historic and delightfully picturesque city of Santa Barbara.

BELDINS MAY STAY ABROAD ANOTHER YEAR.

Mrs. H. K. Beldin and her daughter, Miss Nadine Beldin, are planning to remain abroad another year. They are spending the summer in Holland, and later in the year they will go to England, where they are planning very interesting tours.

MISS ELSE SCHILLING COMING HOME.

Miss Elise Schilling, who has been abroad with Mrs. Simpson and her daughter, Beatrice Simpson, will sail for America in June. All her friends are glad when Miss Schilling is at home, for she is a very hospitable young hostess, and her beautiful home by the lake is the scene of many social affairs.

WOODWARDS VISIT IN SOUTH OF STATE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Woodward have gone south for a short vacation trip. They sailed this week on the Yalo, one of the fast and perfectly appointed coast steamers. Many people are making the trip on the Yalo and Hartford simply for the hours of rest that are always possible on the ocean. The Woodwards will spend the greater part of the summer at their country place at Alta, in the Sierras.

CLOSE THEIR HOME IN OAKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Palmer have closed their home at Grand street, Alameda, and have taken apartments at the Keystone, across the bay.

Mr. Palmer's work in the summer brings very exacting railroad interests, making a stay across the bay more desirable. Mrs. Palmer is such a generous, cordial hostess that her friends always regret her departure from her home here.

MRS. JOHN MCNEAR ISSUES CARDS FOR TEA.

Mrs. John McNear is sending out cards for a tea in honor of Miss Jennie Lee, whose engagement to Lieutenant Rees has recently been announced. Mrs. McNear will entertain on the afternoon of June 2, and among those who will assist her in receiving her guests will be Mrs. Frank C. Havens and Mrs. Oscar F. Long.

MRS. ROBERT KNIGHT GUEST OF MOTHER.

Mrs. Robert Knight recently spent a few days in Oakland as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Remi Chabot. The Knights are settled in Los Gatos, where they bid fair to have a delightful summer. They are to build a picturesque home on their place, and

preparations for it are to be pushed rapidly forward.

The William Shiels (Elsie Bennett) have lived in Los Gatos ever since the fire, and among well-known Oakland people who spend a great deal of time each year there are the Selbys, the Wallace Alexanders, the Frank Brighams, the O. S. Orricks, the Lloyd Rawlings and the Irving Lundborgs.

One hears that they all evolve many good times in this picturesque little mountain town, and that life moves along very pleasant lines there.

MOWBRAV HALL SCENE OF PARTY.

Mrs. Fanny Thomas, Mrs. Steiger and Miss Barraclough were hostesses at a very delightful musicale given in Mowbray hall on Monday evening. "Mowbray hall," built in old mission style, is a great acquisition to Piedmont, and is a center for many different activities. It is most picturesque and it has a quaint history.

A few prominent matrons, among whom was Mrs. Harry Thomas, planned a Sunday school, which met in the Merriman home, and the outcome of the meeting has been attractive Mowbray hall. In this hall church services are held, dances are given, and musical societies meet.

A large number of guests accepted the invitations of the three hostesses, and among the soloists of the evening were Mrs. John Metcalf, Mrs. Carroll Nicholson and Madame Sofia Neustadt.

Piedmont is rapidly coming to the foreground as a musical center in our city. Among well-known lovers of music there are Mrs. W. E. Sharon and Mrs. Herbert Brown. Mrs. Brown has a very sweet, beautifully trained soprano voice.

Miss Ruth Sharon is one of the best players on the coast. She practices many hours each day and she bids fair to be a fine concert player in the future.

Mrs. Oscar Long plays and sings exceedingly well, and she is a very good composer as well, and Mrs. Mark Regua is also a good musician, as are all the Herricks.

Others who belong to the musical contingent at Piedmont are Mrs. Newton Koser and the Misses Mahla.

The three hostesses of Monday evening planned a delightful program for their friends, who greatly enjoyed the evening of music.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Miss Lucile Jeffs, whose picture appears in tonight's Meddler, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jeffs of this city. Miss Jeffs is a graduate of the Oakland high school and a very talented girl, especially along dramatics, which she has studied with

Miss Hilma Butler. Miss Jeffs is entertained a great deal in this city and in Berkeley.

Mrs. Cyrus William Abbott was before her marriage of a few days ago Miss Eva Slavich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Slavich. Her marriage was a very elaborately planned ceremony, attended by the relatives and close friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott are at present on their honeymoon in the south, and upon their return will take possession of their new home in Adams Point.

Miss Helen Lowden is one of the younger girls who attends the dances given for the younger set in this city. She has not yet made her formal debut.

Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald belongs to the younger group of matrons who take an active part in social gayeties of the smart set of the city. She is noted for her personal charm and attractiveness.

MRS. FREDERICK STRATTON DELIGHTFUL HOSTESS.

Mrs. Frederick Stratton was the hostess yesterday at a luncheon given at her home on Harrison street in honor of her mother, Mrs. Silas Gregory. The latter spends most of her time with her daughter in Colorado, who was formerly Anne Gregory, and when she comes to California she is the guest of Mrs. Stratton.

The latter's guests at the luncheon included some of the mother's old friends, for the Gregorys formerly lived in Oakland in the historic home on Alice street, afterwards occupied by Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard, and now the very artistic home of Mrs. Blanche Boardman.

After the luncheon there was an informal musical program, much enjoyed by the guests.

MANY NOTABLE MAY HOSTESSES.

Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Harry Mosher and Mrs. Charles Tripler Hutchinson are all notable May hostesses.

Mrs. T. C. Coogan entertained yesterday at bridge, and again this afternoon, making the younger matrons her guests today.

Mrs. Hutchinson is planning an informal bridge afternoon in honor of Mrs. McCowan, and Mrs. Harry Smith has sent out cards for a large bridge afternoon for the 26th.

Mrs. Harry Mosher will entertain on the 19th at a luncheon which she is planning to give at the Palace in honor of Mrs. Mountford Wilson, and the luncheon is to be followed by bridge. Other dates are also to be announced, so it is quite probable that the social ball will be kept rolling till the June days mark the closing of school, and many of our

inert families take their way to the mountains and the seashore.

MRS. A. SCHILLING TO BE HOSTESS.

Mrs. August Schilling is to be a hostess on May 17, asking to her beautiful home by the lake a number of

well-known young matrons. Mrs. Schilling is the most cordial of hostesses, and very few regrets ever reach her—as the Schilling home is known for its abounding hospitality.

THE MEDDLER.

SOCIETY



YESTERDAY afternoon Mrs. T. C. Coogan gave one of the smartest affairs of the late season when she entertained nearly 75 guests, members of the fashionable set, at card tables.

Her home on Oakland avenue was artistically decorated in masses of white roses and pink hawthorn branches. Bridge was the game of the afternoon and the winners were rewarded with dainty embroidered handkerchiefs.

The daughters of the hostess assisted her in receiving the guests. Some charming gowns were worn yesterday. Among others who enjoyed the afternoon were:

Mrs. W. H. Henshaw, M. V. Kales, Lillian Brown Everts, Mollan Fox, E. M. Walsh, Gordon Stolp, C. C. Craig, Walter Mann, Edson Adams, Frank L. Brown and Miss Mollie Connors.

Today Mrs. Coogan gave the second of the series of bridge parties, attended by many.

AT BRIDGE TABLES.

Mrs. Charles Tripler Hutchinson entertained a group of friends yesterday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. McGowan of Chicago, who is visiting in this city. Bridge was played during the afternoon.

ALUMNAE LUNCHEON TODAY.

Snell's seminary alumnae gave a luncheon today at 1 o'clock, attended by about fifty members. The rooms were decorated in pink and green and the tables were attractive with effective arrangements of pink daisies and roses. The alumnae held a reunion at regular intervals.

A program of music followed the menu and a number of toasts given, after which the annual report was read.

AT HOME.

The second of a series of at homes was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Clarence Crowell and her mother, Mrs. Frederick Samuels, at the home of the former in Perry street. Many guests from the bay cities shared the pleasures of the afternoon.

RECEPTION AND BRIDGE.

Cards have been sent out by Mrs. Harry Manville Wright for the evening of May 16, when she will be a hostess at a bridge party and reception at her home in Berkeley. Many guests from the bay cities shared the pleasures of the afternoon.

TO MAKE EXTENDED TOUR.

Samuel Poorman of Alameda will leave for the east en route to Europe on a tour of the world, on Friday, May 19. The young attorney, who is prominent in political affairs of this state, will spend the next five months in sightseeing. He will sail on June 5 on the Baltic. En route east he

will stop at the Grand Canyon, Washington, New York and Niagara Falls. He will also tour the Orient, including in his itinerary Japan, China and the Philippines.

He is planning to be present at the coronation festivities in London.

UNIQUE KITCHEN SHOWER.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson entertained last Monday evening at a unique kitchen shower for Miss Florence Hill and Thomas Jones, whose wedding is to be an event of the near future.

Among the guests were Miss Florence Hill, Tom Jones, Miss Edna White, Mr. West Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stuart, Miss Ruth Everson, Arthur Criderman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Rodney Johnson, Frank L. Bohn, Miss Aileen Corwin, Miss Adele Corwin and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

RECEPTION TODAY.

The Association Pioneer Women of California were given a reception this afternoon by the president, Angelina G. Gardner, at her home, 1314 Eighth street. The house was beautifully decorated in shades of yellow, the color worn by the society. Music was furnished by the Misses Lang, daughters of one of the members. Refreshments were served.

Reminiscences of early days were told, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

About seventy-five guests were present. All women who came to California before 1854 and female descendants of pioneers, both men and women, are eligible to membership. One hundred and eighty members are on the register, many living in different parts of our state.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A delightful party was given in honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Ella Mae McGovern at her home in Berkeley recently. The evening was spent in dancing, music and the playing of games, after which an elaborate supper was served.

Miss McGovern was assisted in receiving her guests by her cousin, Miss Irene McCullough.

Among the guests were Misses Irene McCullough, Gertrude Heapey, Claire McCavoy, Essie O'Keefe, Frances Maloney, Ethel Heapey, Anita Lingard, Emily Grownney, May O'Keefe, Rose Heapey, Helena Sheridan, Messrs. Artie McFarland, Fred Darrah, Joe McCullough, Charles Moul, Bennie Courant, Maurice Murphy, John Rose, Clifton Rose, John Hassler, George Moore and Harry Kennedy.

LEAVE FOR EAST.

Miss Sue Becker and her sisters, Miss Margaret and Miss Jane Becker, will leave for the east on May 20, going to Chicago, where they will visit their relatives. They will tour a number of the larger cities and will return early in September.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Announcement was made yesterday of the engagement of Miss Grace Taggart, daughter of Mrs. C. A. Taggart, and Edgar Homer Brechly, a mining engineer of Oregon. The announcement was made at a 4 o'clock tea given yesterday at the home of the bride-elect, when about 40 guests were present.

Miss Taggart is prominent in musical circles of the cities about the bay. She is an excellent pianist and has been associated with the Jenkins School of Music. Her fiancé is a graduate of Cornell and a post-graduate of the University of California. The date of the wedding has not yet been set.

MISS LE CONTE ENGAGED.

News of the engagement of Miss Talulah Le Conte of Berkeley to J. Arthur Elston was received here yesterday in letters from the East and is of wide interest in the college town, where the bride-to-be is very well known.

The wedding is to take place on Monday, May 15, in New York, at the Church of the Transfiguration. The Rev. J. L. Parks, formerly of St. Paul's Church of Oakland, and an old friend of the Le Contes, is to officiate. A European wedding trip is in prospect, the couple sailing on May 17 on the Adriatic.

Miss Le Conte is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Le Conte of Piedmont, Alameda, Berkeley, and related to the Le Contes who form an important part of the history of the university. She was, until a year ago, supervisor of physical culture in the Fremont high school. Obtaining leave of absence, she went East to continue the study of folk-dancing, in which she excelled. She is a graduate of the university and a member of Gamma Phi Beta.

Elston is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Elston of Berkeley, and is a young attorney. He left for New York on Monday last.

HOUSE-WARMING.

Mrs. L. M. Johnson was given a house-warming by her friends recently, when they gathered at her new home on Ashby avenue. Cards were played during the evening, after which dainty refreshments were served. The hostess was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

The guests present were Mrs. D. Diamond, Mrs. S. Edwards, Mrs. W. Whitney, Mrs. E. C. McConells, Mrs. E. H. Lawrence, Mrs. Ida Ackerman, Mrs. D. H. Byers, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. Lesse Howe, Mrs. A. W. Spencer, Mrs. J. N. Loughan, Mrs. A. L. Goodman, Mrs. T. A. Hughes, Mrs. L. M. Johnson.

NOT AFRAID OF MOUSE.

ST. LOUIS.—Mrs. John Strickland of Alton found a mouse in her hat Friday while shopping in a dry goods store. She did not scream or climb upon a chair.

Instead, she calmly walked out to the sidewalk, dug the rodent out of the lining of her hat and shoved it into the gutter, permitting the animal to escape.

HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME

Fight Duel to Death Over Girl

New York Street Scene
of the Bloody
Affray

NEW YORK.—With a crowd gathered in a circle around them, and the girl for whom they were fighting looking on until the sight of blood drove her screaming away, Walter Obolsky and Waskaw Moski fought a duel to the death with butchers' knives in Hudson avenue, Brooklyn. Obolsky was killed. His opponent's knife passed clear through his abdomen and he fell to the pavement with the point protruding from his back. He was dead when Dr. Reynolds arrived from the Brooklyn Hospital.

Obolsky was twenty-two and a machinist. He lived at 22 Evans street. Moski is a year older, a carpenter, and lives at No. 133 Gold street. The girl over whose love they quarreled was Mary Kalowski, twenty-one, who lives at Hudson avenue and Plymouth street, and works in a factory at Adams and John streets.

Until Moski came along Obolsky was regularly accepted by the girl as her escort from work every evening and for outings most nights. When Moski came she tried to divide her attentions. She liked them "both the same," she told them. But the men would not have it that way.

MET ON WAY TO SHOW.

Last night Obolsky was taking the girl to a moving picture show at Sand and Jay streets when Moski stopped them. "Mary," he said, "I ask you for the last time are you going to leave off going with this fellow?"

Obolsky retorted hotly. Moski replied furiously and a crowd began to gather. The girl appealed to them again with her luckless formula that she loved them both the same and begged them not to quarrel.

The crowd urged the men on to fight it out, and lest they might be content to do it with only their fists, some one cried for a proper duel to settle the matter forever. In ten seconds more two butcher knives were brought.

Miss Kalowski weeping, flung herself upon each man in turn, kissing him, and pleading that he must not fight over her.

The men stripped off their jackets and wrapped them round their left arms as shields. Then the fight began. The crowd formed a ring and yelled to the pair to get at one another. Blood began to flow from slashes on arms, necks and cheeks. The girl fled, hysterically screaming.

WEAKENED ONE MISSED GUARD.

For fifteen minutes the duel lasted. Then Obolsky, his left arm weakened by many gashes through the wrapped coat, missed his guard, and Moski drove his knife into his foe's body, nearly falling over Obolsky in the terrible force of the thrust.

The moment Obolsky fell, Moski ran. At the same time Patrolman Mannerberg came running up. He pursued Moski and found him hiding in a cellar.

Wins 50 Swimming Medals



MISS LILY SMITH, holder of dozen championships.

LONDON.—Miss Lily Smith, captain of the City of London Ladies' Swimming Club, holds over a dozen championships and possesses more than fifty medals won during the last four years when she has regularly competed in swimming matches. Miss Smith is very indignant over the decision of the British Amateur Swimming Association to abolish mixed races. She says it is the most absurd and ridiculous law ever made and the sole reason for it is jealousy. Miss Smith has regularly taken part with men in long-distance races in England and France, taking part in the fifteen-mile Thames championship each year and only failing to complete the course once. The new law will probably prevent Miss Smith from taking further activity in the amateur sporting world.

KISS ON STAGE? NEVER, SAYS 'CELLIST

NEW YORK.—Miss Helen Scholder, a 'cellist, did not wish to be kissed, even though Edward Locke, playwright, had written "business of kissing" opposite her lines. Helen Flaven, eighteen and an actress, had no such backwardness. So Arthur Hammerstein, playing temporarily the role of Paris, took the apple away from Helen the First, and presented it to Helen the Second. The apple, which was the form of a stage contract, proved to be a true apple of discord, for Helen the First is suing Hammerstein in the second district municipal court in the Bronx for \$400 she was to have received for four weeks' work in the company playing Edward Locke's "The Maestro's Masterpiece."

After hearing testimony that bore upon the actual degree of realism necessary to make the stage kiss look like the genuine article, Justice Shell decided that so momentous a question was not to be settled lightly and hastily; so he took the case under advisement for fourteen days.

Miss Scholder, who is a protegee of Mrs. J. B. Greenhut and Mrs. Morgenstern, was engaged to play the part of Helen Maslova, a 'cellist, in Locke's new play. Locke is a stickler for realism. When he writes a kiss into a part he wants it to be the genuine whole-souled, lip-to-lip article, no perfunctory peck or arm's length touch. Therefore he was particularly insistent

that Miss Scholder, a novice in the ways of the stage, should give special attention to the actual, inspiring, soul-tugging kissing at rehearsals. Her refusal to do so and also her refusal to wear a certain dress described by Alfred Beckman, counsel, for Hammerstein, as "approximately tight lights," constituted the reason, Beckman said, for her discharge.

Miss Scholder told Justice Shell that she had been engaged as a 'cello player, not as an actress or as an adept in plain or fancy kissing. She said she was perfectly resigned to the fact that she must be kissed in the actual performance of the play, but she could not see the use of ocular rehearsals which, she said, "made her look ridiculous."

"When Mr. Hammerstein engaged me," said Miss Scholder, "nothing was said about kissing. I even objected to the acting, but he told me that I would have only a few lines to say."

Justice Shell asked Locke if he considered actual kissing necessary at rehearsals. Locke replied that, while an experienced actress might "get away with a kiss" effectively without rehearsing it, an amateur would be embarrassed and awkward. The only way to overcome that was by constant practice.

"Miss Scholder was discharged because she refused to obey orders and that is all there is to it," said Hammerstein last night.

WITH FEET CUT OFF, GREETES FIANCEE

STAMFORD, Conn.—There have been many fearful scenes in Stamford hospital, but none sadder than when Charles Hudson, a railroad fireman, of No. 479 East 134th street, New York, crippled for life in a railroad accident on the New Haven railroad, was permitted to see Miss Alice Lynch, of No. 407 East 134th street, New York, whom he was to marry today in St. Jerome's church, New York.

Even the nurses could not restrain their tears when Hudson, with both feet cut

off above the ankle, greeted his fiancée. Miss Lynch wished to have the marriage ceremony performed at the appointed time in the hospital, but this was impossible, owing to the condition of Hudson, whose life hangs by a thread.

Hudson's mother, who came here with Miss Lynch, said that a marriage may be performed later when her son's condition permits.

Hudson told off a freight train and fifteen freight cars passed over his legs.

'SHRIMP WIGGLE' GIRL SUSPENDED

NORTH ADAMS, Mass.—Simply on account of a "shrimp wiggle" one girl has been expelled from the State Normal school, two others are under suspension and three more are on probation.

"Shrimp wiggle" is a succulent dish. It tastes best when compounded in a chafing dish. When it is made at midnight, in the secrecy of a dormitory room, and especially when all such midnight parties have been forbidden, it is a feast for goddesses.

The goddesses in this case were the six girls, the "shrimp wigglers." They disobeyed the order against chafing dish parties. Principal Burdock also said no alcohol should be kept in the girls' rooms. This was to prevent the chafing dishes being used.

One girl in Teonic Hall bought alcohol

and shrimps and invited five others to a "wiggle." It was the hostess who was expelled.

Child (during pause in sad song rendered with much expression)—"Oh, nunny, my poor lady herself isn't liking it either."

CARTER HARRISON BARS SUFFRAGE TALK

CHICAGO.—The Catholic Women's League gave a luncheon for Mrs. Carter H. Harrison, wife of the mayor. Mrs. Harrison was down on the program to speak in favor of equal suffrage. She has been talking in public on the subject for a month. But she did not appear at the luncheon. This was to the great disappointment of the league. Mrs. Harrison is a strict Catholic.

What happened was that the mayor clamped the lid down on Mrs. Harrison's equal suffrage talk. "My husband asked me not to talk on the subject, and like a dutiful wife I obeyed him," she said. "Perhaps I am too enthusiastic. He said every time he passed a hall he expected to hear my voice ringing with appeals for equal suffrage."

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

PHOEBE COUZINS DESTITUTE AND ILL

Suffrage Leader Appeals to
Friends for Aid in Her
Trouble.

ST. LOUIS, May 13.—Miss Phoebe Couzins, recognized a generation ago throughout the United States as the leader of her sex against woman suffrage and prohibition, is stranded at the Terminal Hotel with hardly enough money to buy her luncheon. For the last few days she has subsisted mostly on bread and water.

Miss Couzins has been at the hotel more than three weeks and was forced last night to appeal to friends to lend her enough money to buy a ticket back to Washington.

She is more than 60 years old and an invalid. She formerly was a United States marshal at St. Louis and had a degree of bachelor of law from Washington University. She held a prominent place at the Columbian Exposition at Chicago.

She came to St. Louis in an endeavor to collect an annuity settled upon her in 1905, which recently had not been paid.

Must Pay Alimony

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 13.—Judge Gager of the Superior Court late yesterday granted a divorce to Mrs. Henry Lord Wheeler, wife of the Yale professor of organic chemistry, with \$100,000 alimony. This is the first time a Yale professor has figured in the divorce court as defendant and the alimony awarded is said to be the largest ever given in connection with a divorce suit in this state.

Professor Wheeler comes from a prominent Chicago family, from whom he is said to have inherited a large fortune. He married Miss Wheeler, an actress, in 1905. They have one child, whose custody has been awarded to the mother. The divorce case was heard in chambers before Henry C. White, who was appointed referee by Judge Gager. The evidence was not made public. The allegations were intolerable cruelty. The referee's report declared that they had been proven in full. The amount of alimony given was the full amount asked. The Wheelers have a handsome house on Trumbull street.

Lillian May Wed

PITTSBURGH, May 13.—A report that Lillian Russell is engaged to marry Alex P. Moore, editor of the Pittsburgh Leader, was widely circulated last night. Miss Russell, who is playing a vaudeville sketch here this week at the Grand, when asked about the report, said there was nothing to it, that should she marry again she would probably retire permanently from the stage, and that she was not yet ready to do so. Moore also made denial of the report.

Love in Cottage

NEWPORT, R. I., May 13.—Indicative of the happiness of Countess Szechenyi, who was formerly Gladys Vanderbilt, and explaining to some extent her popularity among the country folk, are letters received recently by the friends of her girlhood, in which she tells of living with the count and their daughter Cornelia, in a wooden cottage of eight rooms on the Szechenyi estate in Hungary, in preference to living in the castle. "I love the cottage life above that in the castle and so do the count and Cornelia," she wrote in one letter.

Aviateuse Falls

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., May 13.—Miss Harriet Quibby, while attempting to fly in the Blériot type monoplane at the Hempstead Plain school yesterday morning, met with a serious mishap and wrecked the 30 horsepower machine which she has been using.

Miss Quibby, elated over her success of the morning before, attempted again to ascend while the monoplane was running across the field apparently at full speed. In turning, the wheels of the running gear were wrenched off in a twinkling and the forks and one of the wings were broken.

The plucky girl retained her seat, shut off the power and then jumped to the ground. The accident to Miss Quibby was very similar to that which befell Thomas Sopwith, the English aviator, when his Blériot was wrecked.

Miss Quibby is a California girl.

Tetrizzini Wins

NEW YORK, May 13.—The appellate division of the Supreme Court yesterday affirmed Justice Garand's judgment that Luisa Tetrizzini, the prima donna, was not liable for the payment of \$30,000 to Isador Lerner for alleged breach of contract. Lerner claims that he engaged Tetrizzini to sing in Havana in 1904 and that she refused to keep her part of the agreement.

Queen of Circus Dead

NEW YORK, May 13.—Mrs. Gilbert N. Robinson, whose likeness on the billboards made her known to circus-goers all over the country up to a few years ago as "the beautiful Emma Lake," and who was called the greatest equestrienne in the world by Buffalo Bill, is dead in Dr. Britton B. Evans' sanatorium in Morris Plains, N. J.

"Gil" Robinson, her husband, a member of the famous circus family of Robinsons and grandson of the original "Old John" Robinson, had been with her through most of her illness, but left a few days ago to look after his business in Washington because it was thought that his wife was improving.

A fall three years ago in the ring, in which her graceful and skillful performance had delighted circus crowds for years, was the cause of the end of Emma Lake's career.

Plucky Girl Makes Art and Living Meet in Tenements of New York

NEW YORK.—By living in the tenement section of the lower East Side and by playing the piano at a moving picture show Miss Frankie Franklin of Knoxville, Tenn., has solved the problem of living in New York and earning her expenses while having her voice cultivated.

The distractions of an uptown boarding house, the high cost of a good room and three meals a day and the temptation to enjoy social life with young students of her own age, generally defeat the attempt of an ambitious young girl to earn her own living in Manhattan when she must have half the day for study and recitation.

In a house occupied by laborers' families, at No. 523 East Fifteenth street, Miss Franklin occupies two rooms on the second floor back. Her neighbors are Poles, Austrians, Italians and Germans. Her windows look out on a yard where dozens of poor families hang clothes.

KITCHEN A STUDIO NOW.

She has turned the kitchen with its sink, washbuds and coal stove into a studio. The washbuds are covered with a cloth and used for a sideboard. She substituted a little gas-range for the coal stove. Her hard-working piano stands where the former tenants' kitchen table used to stand. She bought artistic wall paper and put it on over the startling colors and figures she found there. Around the room are ranged her books. In home made cases, softly tinted by her own hand. Pretty rugs cover the floor. The little bedroom adjoining is a marvel of prim, white neatness. It has a few comfortable, old fashioned chairs, bought at second-hand and stained over, and a great trunk turned into a couch by the addition of cushions.

"When I told my friends I was coming to New York to study for seven years to fit my voice for opera they told me I could not do it without much money," she said. "I had no money, but I knew I could earn \$12 or \$15 a week playing and singing in concert halls. I might even get more occasionally. I came and took a room uptown, for which I paid \$6

a week. I began to earn from \$15 to \$18 a week playing evenings at entertainments.

"But I had to buy my meals at restaurants, pay for my laundry, clothes myself and pay car fare. I made friends among young women students who had more money than I. I simply had to spend a little money going around with them. I saw that as soon as I had to buy clothes I would be stranded. Also people were continually running into my room when I wanted to study and practice, and interrupting me. I was invited about by well meaning women, who gave me good dinners at their entertainments, and then asked me to sing or play free.

"There must be some way to earn an honest living here and pay for tuition," I said to myself, and set about finding it out. One day I saw a laborer digging in the street. I heard him say he had seven children, one of whom was in high school. I went right out and asked him where he lived. He told me on East Thirteenth street. I went down there. I found that rents were cheap. I

looked around and found this little flat for \$8.50 a month. The house was old with the very poor, but all were honest and all minded their own business. I hired the two rooms and moved down here, disappearing from the view of my friends uptown.

"I do my own laundry work and my own cooking and I've got the art of living down to a fine point. My coming caused a sensation for a day or two, and then they took it for granted and forgot me in their busy lives. When I sang numbers from 'Lucia' or 'Traviata' the Italians come to their windows to listen. But when I am practising ragtime stuff that I have to play in a moving picture show to earn my living they close their windows in disgust.

"I am making both ends meet. I have studied nearly six and a half years and am near the end of my preparation, and have kept my health and courage. I am telling you this so that other ambitious girls who think that it can't be done may know that it can."

AEROPLANE HAT LATEST

CHICAGO.—Every woman who plans either to have her "sky piece" remodeled or buy a brand new "lid" will be compelled to take a course in aviation. This odious has gone forth from the show rooms of the National Association of Milliners.

While there are many wonderful hats on view, the one that makes the biggest hit is the "aeroplane." Its chief feature is its size. Hats which last year were considered small unless the wearer had a six-foot space in which to maneuver are mere postage stamps beside this 1911 creation. Technically, the new lid is a monoplane, measuring three feet eight inches between the tips of the wings. It is the lightest thing in feminine headgear ever constructed. Eight ounces will be the minimum. From that up to one pound. It is the flattest thing ever seen in hats, and women who

wear it must study weather signals before setting sail.

For the fair buyer who doesn't care to take any chances with the "aeroplane" lid, who still wants to be up to the second, there is an "aviator" headpiece, also a monoplane, which coyly permits the wearer to see out of one eye. The rest of the head is pretty well covered up with the wings of the hat, which droop over the ears and forehead.

The coronation of King George of England is already affecting the styles of 1911 hats. The "London bobby" comes a close second to the alarph models in popularity with the hat designers. Taking the "bonnet" affected by the London policeman as a model and placing a big butterfly made of gauzy materials on one side, the hat manufacturers have turned out a rakish piece of headgear which even the few men who have seen it—and who were not accompanied by their wives—joyfully admit is some lid.

ATTEMPT TO STEAL GIRL

LAWRENCE, Kas.—Someone has been trying for the past three weeks to carry off Miss Florence Bottiger, a pretty freshman of the State university, whose home is in Sabetha, Kas.

One night, about three weeks ago, while Miss Bottiger was reading in the parlor of the boarding house in which she lives here, she glanced from her book. She saw the dim outline of a face at the window.

A few days later Miss Bottiger strolled downtown after supper, accompanied by a girl friend. As they were returning, shortly after dark, two men sprang at them from a side street. One of them seized Miss Bottiger by the arm and said:

"You come with me." The girl pulled away, half laughing, and wondering what foolish freshman boy was trying to frighten her. She and her friend ran a little way, and, as the man did not follow, went home without further interruption. But Miss Bottiger could not imagine who the perpetrator of the "joke" could be. It was too dark to see either man at all distinctly, and neither of their voices sounded familiar.

The last encounter and the one which has led the girl to believe she is really being pursued, happened night before last, after a dance, when Miss Bottiger and

her escort of the evening, William Moore of Chapman, Kas., junior in the college, reached the girl's boarding house, and he paused to say good-night. Before he had finished a man with a black mask over his face vaulted the railing, and, stepping close to both students, covered them with a revolver.

"I've got you and you're coming with me," he said to Miss Bottiger, and Moore: "Unless you get out of this and keep your head shut."

Moore hesitated, but he had no sort of a weapon. The man with the mask turned on him.

"Back off," he said, "and keep your hands up." Moore obeyed. The masked man followed him a few steps to see that his orders were obeyed. As he left her side Miss Bottiger began to scream.

Two men, who lived in the house, ran out, and as they did so the man with the revolver turned and covered them.

"Stand back and hold up your hands," he commanded. He hesitated a minute. Then, evidently deciding it would not be safe to carry off the girl with so many witnesses, he himself backed off and, keeping the group covered, disappeared in the darkness.

Miss Bottiger is the daughter of Richard Bottiger, mayor of Sabetha. He is a rich retired farmer. Miss Bottiger is unusually pretty and very popular.

HE HAD HIS PRYING WIFE, ARRESTED

VIENNA.—A lady who suspected her husband's fidelity unlocked his writing table and opened a sealed letter addressed to her rival. The contents of the letter enabled her to bring a successful action against her husband.

The husband retaliated by prosecuting

the wife for violating the secrecy of private correspondence, which is a serious offense against the Austrian law.

The wife was found guilty, but the court sentenced her to only a week in prison on the ground that the circumstances were extenuating.

OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

OSCEOLA PLATOON PUPILS SEEN IN FOLK DANCES

TO CAMP ON
MT. HERMON

The Osceola platoon, Boy Scouts of America of the First Presbyterian church, with the stag patrol from the Centennial Methodist church, will go into camp on "Pine Plateau," Mt. Hermon, from June 5 to 19. Mt. Hermon is situated seven miles from Santa Cruz and is one of the most beautiful spots in California.

The camp will be military in system and will comprise about forty boys and a cook. The boys will have the privilege of fishing, swimming, boating, baseball, basketball, tennis, croquet, quoits, etc. Everything will be done to make the outing the best ever and the motto will be "One for all and all for one."

Hikes will be taken to the numerous places of interest such as Zayante valley, Big Trees, San Lorenzo river and Gorge, Santa Cruz beach, Scott's creek, reservoir, Big Basin, etc. Besides these hikes, field day sports will be conducted from time to time, and best of all, every night there will be a rally around a big roaring camp fire.

It is without doubt that the scouts will have the "time of their life." They will receive as much good in the two weeks spent among the high mountain pines as all the other fifty weeks of the year.

SENIORS LEAVE ON

ANNUAL TUG RIDE

About 150 members of the low senior class of the Oakland High school left this morning for the annual tug ride to El Camp on the special chartered tug, "Montecello."

The first boat left Clay-street wharf, San Francisco, at 10 a. m. The party cruised about the bay and out to the



PAUL S. COHN, who took part in entertainment given by the pupils of the Mastick School.

MASTICK SCHOOL HOLDS NOTABLE PROGRAM

ALAMEDA, May 13.—Folk dancing was one of the attractive features of the entertainment given by the pupils of the Mastick school last Thursday afternoon in Harmon Hall, where the primary and advanced classes of the institution took part in the exercises. The most talented children in the different grades made their initial bow in the European dances.

Among the primary pupils who danced were Paul S. Cohn, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Cohn. It was his first public appearance on the stage and he expressed a desire to adopt a dramatic career. He is a clever athlete and very fond of outdoor sports.

FLOWER SONGS.

The flower songs were sung by Almena Banta, Marian Fogle, Helen Paul and Henrietta Brandt.

The advanced folk dancing was presented in costume by the following girls: Margaretta Hinec, Adeline Brown, Maude Jenkins, Edna Belcherath, Mildred Rasmussen, Marion Fairington, Virginia Younger, Ruth Sherrey, Lottie Hamilton, Nellie Sharpstein, Dorothy Ludovick, Emily Leuth, Edith Rosen-dahl, Ruth Schneider, Martha Funt, Vera Moss, Caroline Beckman, Sarah Schwartz, Dora Durenk, Audrey Coy, Salome Sargood, Mildred McMaster, Et-telle Lischof. Solo dances by Ruth Sherrey and Dorothy Ludovick, accompanist, Mrs. Lucy Smith.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CHILDREN IN GREAT PARADE

JOYOUS LADS AND LASSIES AT PICNIC

Ten Churches of the Annexed District Unite in Pageant and Merry Making.

Happy Day Spent at Play by the Youngsters and Their Seniors.

FRUITVALE, May 13.—Hundreds of children from the Sunday schools of Fruitvale and Melrose this morning united in a parade which for numbers and spectacular effect excelled anything of the kind ever seen in this vicinity before.

Ten Sunday schools of the Fruitvale district combined on the demonstration, which included a parade from various points in the annexed district to Lincoln Park, Alameda, as a destination, and there the remainder of the day was devoted to a picnic under the trees, followed by games and sports this afternoon.

IN TWO SECTIONS. The parade formed in two sections, both of which got under way shortly before 10 o'clock this morning. The first section formed at East Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue and marched thence down Fourteenth street to High street, where the other section of the parade was encountered and the two combined. The latter body was formed at Fifty-fourth avenue and included the Melrose schools.

From the point of consolidation the two divisions marched along High street to Pacific avenue, Alameda, where the parade counter-marched, and then proceeded to Lincoln Park, corner of High street and Santa Clara avenue, where the judges of the parade were stationed to review the line. These judges were H. Morton, state president of the Sunday School Association; C. R. Fisher, state secretary, and Rev. Levi Gregory, president of the Alameda County Sunday School Association.

TEACHERS AND PUPILS. The number of Sunday school pupils and teachers in line was 1201, out of a total enrollment in the ten Sunday schools of 1550. The Sunday schools which took part in the parade in the order in which they appeared, together with the number of their representatives in line were as follows: Allendale Baptist, 78; Fruitvale Christian, 230; Fruitvale Congregational, 179; Ward Memorial Congregational, 39; Allendale Methodist, 54; Fourth Avenue Presbyterian, 58; Fruitvale Presbyterian, 108; Melrose Baptist, 132; Melrose Methodist, 173; and High Street Presbyterian, 132.

FEATURES OF PARADE. The interest of the parade was not alone in the numbers present, but the floats, manner of marching and cleverly arranged features incorporated in the procession. The line was headed by children bearing the two banners to be awarded in the parade, which awards were made to the Sunday school having the largest percentage of its enrollment present in the procession, and the second Sunday school showing the best order in the march, but particularly to the one displaying the most originality in its floats and banners.

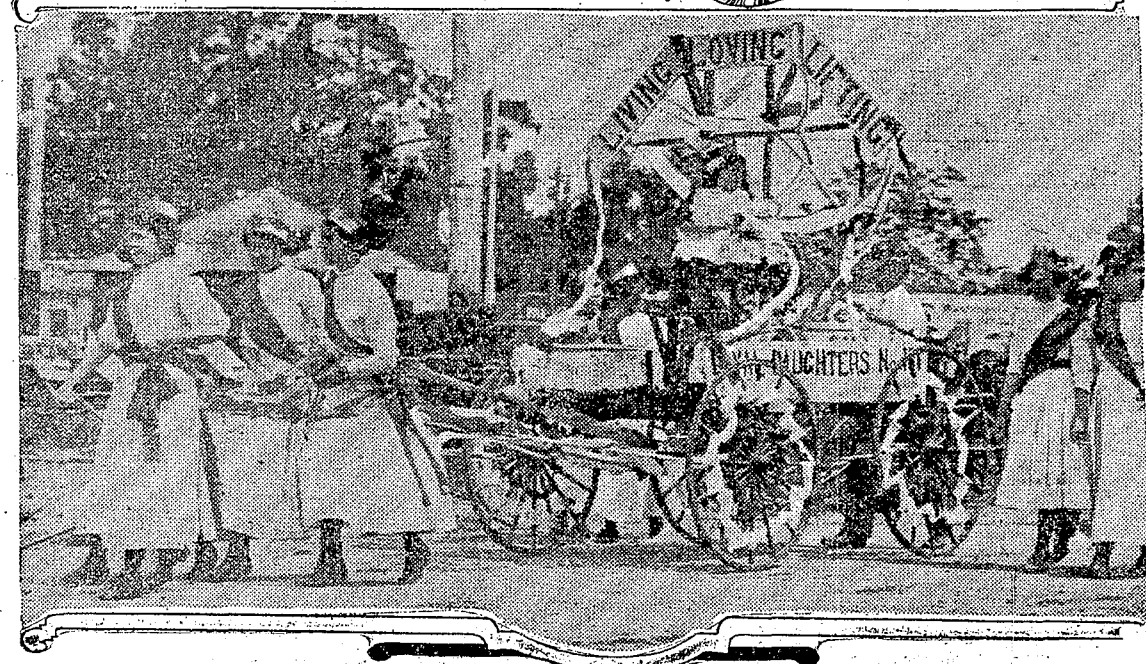
WINNER OF BANNERS. The winner of both these awards was the Fruitvale Christian Church Sunday school, which had 230 members out of an enrollment of 235, in line, and which also displayed the most attractive and clever floats and banners.

ABLY MARSHALED. The entire parade was under the direction of Grand Marshal Earl S. Bingham, assisted by five deputies, John Rhoda, C. H. Young, Rev. J. C. Eldins, Vernon Trewitt, and L. C. Grasser. These men supervised the march, which was nearly two miles in length, and after the procession had reached the park it was broken up and luncheon eaten. This afternoon games will be held, for which prizes in the shape of ribbons are being awarded. The picnic will close with the singing of sacred songs.

WOODMEN TO ATTEND SERVICES IN BODY

ALAMEDA, May 13.—Rev. F. S. Brush, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, will deliver the Mothers' Day sermon tomorrow evening, when an interesting program will be given by the choir. In honor of the day the Modern Woodmen of America will attend the services in a body. The members of the drill team of the order have been requested to appear in uniform.

PUPILS OF THE MELROSE METHODIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL MARCHING, UPPER PICTURE. PUPILS OF THE MELROSE BAPTIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL WITH FLOAT.



MRS. RAY HEADS SUFFRAGE LEAGUE

Popular President of Association Again Chosen Head.

Mrs. Agnes Ray, one of the most enthusiastic suffragists of this city, was re-elected president of the Oakland Equal Suffrage Amendment League at its annual election held yesterday afternoon in the Young Women's Christian Association building, Fourteenth and Castro streets. The following officers were elected to assist in conducting the affairs of the league: Mrs. M. F. Murray, first vice-president; Mrs. F. S. Shertzer, second vice-president; Mrs. F. W. Harndon, recording secretary; Mrs. C. S. Borland, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Elsie Lyon, treasurer; Mrs. Frances Williamson and Mrs. W. T. Blackburn, auditors.

Mrs. Lillian Harris, Cofin of San Francisco was the principal speaker. She talked upon the club women's Franchise League. She declared that much would depend on the carrying of the suffrage resolutions at the meeting of the State Federation of Clubs now in session at Long Beach, and that it they were carried successfully, it would mean the co-operation of all the clubs. She stated the organization would soon open headquarters in this city and wanted the co-operation of the local suffrage league. Mrs. E. S. Shertzer of the Oakland League said that the organizations would not conflict, as the Oakland League will devote its time almost entirely to the men's organization, considering the time too short to attempt to influence the women and have them in turn influence the men.

VANISHED SPOUSE LOSES HIS WIFE

Mrs. Anna Presenti Secures the Annulment of Her Marriage.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Mrs. Anna Presenti, the wife of Charles C. Presenti, wanted as an important witness in the Los Angeles Times dynamite case, obtained an annulment of the marriage in Judge Van Nostrand's court today.

Presenti conducted a hotel at Corte Madera, where Antonio Johannsen and several other men alleged to have been connected with the Times' outrage lodged, and it was Johannsen who took a contract to erect a building where there was employed a man supposed to be Schmidt, another alleged dynamiter.

Following the explosion in the south, Presenti obtained the loan of \$1000 on his hotel and disappeared. Since then his wife learned that her first husband is still alive and for that reason obtained today's decree.

BOYS ARE PLACED ON PROBATION

Woman Weeps as She Tells the Court of Love for Child Not Her Own.

Many hearts to heart talks to the parents of delinquent children were given yesterday afternoon by Judge Everett J. Brown in the Juvenile Court. A number of conversations pertaining to the welfare of the boys were held behind closed doors of the judge's chambers.

One of the most pathetic cases was that of the thirteen-year-old Spanish boy, Ben Lopez. He had confessed to the theft of money and was thought to be the ring-leader of a company of lads of the same age who were placed on probation for a similar charge.

The foster parents of Lopez appeared in court and testified that Ben was abandoned by his parents soon after his birth and since that time they had taken care of him. Mrs. Lopez said that she loved the child and that he had never given her trouble. Tears streamed down her cheeks as she testified that she had never adopted the boy, but that she had always assumed that he was her own. The lad was placed on probation.

SUICIDE MANIA ATTACKS MILLER

Cabinetmaker Held as Insane by the County Authorities.

Marius Miller, a cabinetmaker, is held at the receiving hospital as insane. He was delivered there this morning by the police and A. Lauritsen of 1600 Fourth street, Alameda, swore to a complaint against him in the office of the district attorney.

The excessive use of liquors is alleged to be the cause of Miller's mental downfall, his malady assuming the form of suicidal mania. Several weeks ago, Miller attempted to kill himself by shooting himself through the left lung and he had hardly fully recovered from the bullet wound when he took a large dose of strychnine in an Oakland lodging house. Both attempts at self-destruction followed a long debauch.

Miller went to Oroville after recovering from the poisoning, but returned from there two days ago. He started drinking again and turned up last night at the home of Lauritsen. The latter tried to keep him until today with the intention of turning him over to the authorities on account of his queer antics and threats he made to kill himself, but Miller gave him the slip and came to Oakland. Lauritsen then reported the case to the police and Officer Jack Sherry located Miller and took him into custody.

TRIES SUICIDE AS RESULT OF PACT

The Pupil of Mystic Teacher Is Found in Gas-filled Room and Will Die.

"Not Crime," She Says; "Only Half of Body Leaves World."

NEW YORK, May 13.—As a sequel to the suicide two days ago of Dr. W. R. C. Latson, physician and magazine writer, Miss Alta Marhovsky, his student and aid, attempted to kill herself in her apartment early today. She was taken unconscious from a gas-filled room to a nearby hospital, where it was said that her recovery is unlikely. The police declare that the young woman's act was undoubtedly part of a suicide pact with her friend and teacher.

The girl told the police yesterday of the studies which she and the doctor had pursued in Indian mysticism, eastern theosophy and mystic psychology, declaring hysterically that "to neither of them did suicide seem a crime."

"Only half of the body is dead," she said. "His astral body still lives and my soul beats in unison with his. We shall meet again, ere long."

BERKELEY MAN TO REPENT IN PRISON

Frank Coccollato Sentenced to Three Years for Stabbing His Wife.

Frank Coccollato of Berkeley was denied probation this morning by Judge J. E. Prewett of Placer county, sitting in the criminal department of the Superior Court, after having pleaded guilty to the charge of stabbing his wife, Gartana, with intent to commit murder. Judge Prewett sentenced the prisoner to serve three years in the penitentiary at San Quentin.

The hearing on Coccollato's petition for probation occupied the court's attention all morning, the hearing developing a feud between Coccollato's Italian friends in the university city and those of Mrs. Coccollato and all kinds of contradictory testimony which compelled the court to bring into court two interpreters to assist in getting at the facts.

Coccollato suspected his wife of infidelity and tried to kill her when he returned home unexpectedly one day and found her in a room with another man. He was visiting with Mrs. Coccollato. His arrest followed and Mrs. Coccollato also brought suit in the Superior Court for a divorce.

The husband charges that on the occasion during a fit of rage Mrs. Platkin bombarded him with china dishes, cutting his head. He also alleges that she refused to mend his clothes.

AMERICAN CHAMPION DEFEATED AT GOLF

Miss Dorothy Campbell Loses to Miss Cecil Leitch at Port Rush.

PORT RUSH, Ireland, May 13.—Playing for Scotland against England for the international shield on the links of the Royal Port Rush Golf Club today, Miss Dorothy Campbell lost to Miss Cecil Leitch four up and two to play.

The American champion drove poorly from the tees and this was responsible for her defeat. Otherwise she played splendidly.

SUMMER SCHEDULE TO GO INTO EFFECT

Within a week or ten days a special schedule of trains will be in effect on the western division of the Southern Pacific and will be almost identical with that of last year. A regular daily through service will be maintained from Sacramento to the San Joaquin valley and also from Sacramento to Santa Cruz. The present mixed, San Ramon valley train will be changed to a regular passenger train. A regular train service will be run separately. Other changes will go into effect.

IGNORES JAPAN IN CHINESE LOAN

Even Britain Did Not Consult Ally Concerning the Big Deal.

America Wants a Foothold in Manchuria, Is Rumor From Peking.

TOKIO, May 13.—Assurance is given that Japan has received no official confirmation of conclusion of the contract for the four-power \$50,000,000 currency loan to China. This government has not been consulted by its British ally or the other nations interested.

Persistent and authoritative announcements emanating from Peking are that the American government is supporting the group of bankers solely because of the country's determination to obtain a political position in Manchuria in opposition to Russia. In other words, it is held that as the finances of Manchuria and Mongolia have been pledged as security for the loan, a part of which is to be used for the industrial development of China's Manchurian provinces, it is clear the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany have combined in a project which is an alternative to Secretary Knox's proposition for the neutralization of the Manchurian railways, which plan was opposed by Russia and Japan.

These reports from Peking, with the construction of the matter as set forth above, are embarrassing to the Japanese government, which is bitterly attacked by the opposition on the ground of its alleged weakness and inability to maintain its position regarding Manchuria. It is charged with being outmaneuvered by political intrigues in China and by the other powers.

ACCUSED SLAYERS TO BE DISMISSED

Murdered Rancher's Widow Admits She Is Not Sure of Identity.

FRESNO, May 13.—District Attorney Church will on Monday morning go before the Superior Court and ask for the dismissal of a murder charge against Edward J. Jekens and Garabed Caprian, accused of killing M. Garabedian, an Armenian rancher, who was a year ago shot down in cold blood on the back steps of his home near this city.

The men were arrested in San Francisco a few weeks ago on statements made by the rancher's widow and they were held to answer. The widow now admits that she is not certain as to what she previously testified.

Jekens claimed an alibi and his statement was substantiated upon an investigation by the district attorney. The evidence against Caprian is not sufficient to hold him. Mrs. Garabedian has made many contradictory statements.

HUNDREDS ATTEND PIEDMONT FETE

Patriotic Youngsters Honor the Flag; Folk Dancing Is Feature.

PIEDMONT, May 13.—Patriotism inspired the fete held today under the direction of the teachers of the Piedmont Sunday school in Piedmont park, where hundreds of boys and girls took part in the festivities. The distribution of American flags to the patrons was one of the interesting features.

Folk dancing by the girls furnished diversion for the children and for the parents of the youngsters. The special stunts by the Boy Scouts of Piedmont were amusing.

PRESIDENT TAFT OFF ON SPEAKING TRIP

WASHINGTON, May 13.—President Taft left today for New York and Newark. The president is scheduled for two speeches tonight, one at the 150th anniversary banquet of the St. John's lodge of Masons in Newark, the other in the conference on reform of the criminal law and procedure in New York.

OAKLAND KNIGHTS WILL MAKE VISIT

Lodgemen Plan Trip to Sacramento to Confer Degrees.

Oakland Council No. 784, Knights of Columbus, is making arrangements to visit the Sacramento lodge, Sunday, May 21, when the second and third degrees will be conferred on a number of candidates.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL TO HOLD EXERCISES

The closing exercises of the National Industrial Orphans' school, which is devoted to the training of colored girls for efficient domestic service, will be held Monday night at the Beth Eden Baptist church in Filbert street. A program will be rendered by the students and several educators of Oakland will take part. The school is located at Beniah Heights.

TO NAME COMMITTEES ON IMPORTANT BILLS

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Senate committee on privileges and elections today authorized Chairman Dillingham to appoint sub-committees on Senator Root's bill, to prevent legislative deadlock by providing for the election of United States Senators by a plurality vote, and on the House campaign publicity bill. Many amendments to the publicity bill have been suggested.

WORKMEN OVERCOME BY GAS IN TRENCH

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—John Curran, 2854 Mission street, and George Graham, Seventeenth and Guerrero streets, were overcome by gas in a trench at Twenty-first and Mission streets this morning and are in a serious condition at the Mission hospital. The men, who are employees of the San Francisco Gas & Electric Co., were rendered unconscious.

BERKELEY

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

ALAMEDA

THOUSANDS WATCH
THE ANTICS OF
SENIORS

"The Hop King" Is Presented
Under Conditions That
Are Unequaled.

CHORUSES ARE HITS
OF THE PERFORMANCE

U. of C. Extravaganza Great
Success From Every
Standpoint.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, May 13.—The extravaganza, annual expression of college life and spirit, was given in the Greek theater last night. It was not the usual student show. In cost of production, in costumed, in number and size of choruses and in the general excellence of members of the cast, the musical comedy was out in the light, as compared with performances of other years.

A full moon, which had a look at the show through the trees, and the electric illumination set the stage and amphitheater aglow, and it needed only the appearance of the fairies' chorus to perfect the wonderful scene made up of audience, stage picture and woodland setting.

SUCCESS ALL AROUND.

Viewed from behind the footlights as well as from the box office, the audience was a success. In size and appreciative nature, it helped to make the occasion notable. Queen Nora, of the flower festival, and her court occupied front seats, after receiving hearty handclaps upon their entrance.

That was the first opportunity for the audience to get into the limelight. And again it had a part in the spectacle at the end of the performance, when pyrotechnics in the form of a powerful white light were ignited above the stage, making bright as day every tier of seats in the immense bowl, and making the color, which is a feature of day audiences in the theater, as vivid as though the sun were playing its brightest rays upon the scene.

The enclosure was completely but not uncomfortably filled, and the class realized a large sum in seat sales, which more than repaid the heavy cost of the production.

The vehicle carrying songs, dances, college jokes and dramatic effort was "The Hop King," the words and music for which were written by Edwin S. Walker. The plot abounded in strange adventures upon the campus of the state university and upon the island of Guamp, where a yacht, whose size could only be imagined, yielded cargo of a hundred college girls in addition to some of the principal characters.

DRAMATIC EFFORT.

The drill by football men and posing of athletes in the first act called forth a deal of college enthusiasm from the audience, and love of alma mater was again expressed when the dawning of California's "Booie Booie" song by college girls upon the island cast a spell. Chorus had the stage most of the time, and there were many dollars and basketball mads gave the production an up-to-dateness of the most elaborate sort.

ALL DO GOOD WORK.

Coods possessing vocal and dramatic ability as well as being cleverly handled the leading roles. Miss Mabel Clinch as Mabel Ketchum of U. C., Miss Antoinette Miklau as Kitty Sweet, Miss Jennett Miller as Helen Ketchum and Miss Edna Higgins as Mrs. I. Dyer Ketchum were pleasingly cast. The best bit of comedy, acting in the production was done by Ralph B. High, as Lord Algernon Sidney, a wealthy Englishman. Irving W. Augur had a more trying part as the Hop King, a German of more than middle age. "The songs by Harold Braxton, as Father John, and Harry Maxwell as Spirit of Days (a boy) were well rendered. William H. Greenlaw as Jack String, a "cow college student," with designs upon the law, played with cleverness his heroic part. Arthur C. Saxo, in the role of Tom Dexter, sang several selections with pleasing effect.

Miss Clinch's lyric soprano showed to advantage in the "Dancing Queen" duet with Greenlaw. Miss Jennett Miller, another college singer of note, was at her best in the duet with the chorus, "London, Dear Old London Town," and in the sextet, "The Magic Ale," sung by Miss Clinch, Miss Miller, Miss Antoinette Miklau, A. C. Saxo, Harold Braxton and Irving W. Augur. Miss Miklau's solo, "Moonlight" was also well received.

First honors for the splendid production were accorded to the women singers of the cast. The graduating class this year was fortunate in having among its members practically the best singers of the Berkeley Glee Club, and the choruses were scarcely behind the principals in artistic merit.

NOTABLE PAINTING
IS ON EXHIBITION

BERKELEY, May 13.—"Past Visions of Inferno," the title of a notable painting by the European artist G. S. De Perlas, that is on exhibition at H. G. O'Connell's Temple of Art, 2036 Shattuck avenue.

This painting is by artists declared to be a most remarkable production, presenting in luminous and attractive the darkest thoughts of a sensitive soul upon facing the dread surroundings that in popular fancy are credited to the underworld.

More than a hundred clearly defined figures appear in the picture. In the foreground, a man in a white robe, the lost, grief, fear, agony, horror, remorse—the darker emotions—are vividly depicted. For all these figures models were used, ranging in age from youth to senility, each character being posed by the artist, and studied and sketched at first hand. The canvas is heroic in dimensions, being ten by fourteen feet.

KILLS HERSELF.
SALT LAKE CITY, May 13.—Minnie, the wife of George N. Clark, a merchant broker, killed herself yesterday at her home. Her body, with a bullet in the heart, was found when her husband and 12-year-old daughter forced an entrance to the house in the evening.

UNRULY HORSES
DEMOLISH FLOAT

Longfellow's Mothers' Club
Wagon Is Destroyed With
All Its Decorations.

BERKELEY, May 13.—Five hundred children of the Longfellow school and the members of the Longfellow Mothers' club are mourning the loss of their float which they had intended to enter in the parade this afternoon. Shortly after 9 o'clock this morning it was demolished by unruly horses.

For the last two weeks the Mother's club members worked hard in preparing the float. They had decorated it with yellow and white and had strewn an abundance of popples around the sides of the wagon platform. It was the purpose of the mothers to have it drawn in the parade by four white horses. As a number of small girls were to ride on the float, the mothers thought it a wise plan that they try out the horses to be used in the afternoon and it was while this experiment was being tried that the horses ran away.

OAKLAND TRACTION
TO INSTALL LIGHTS

BERKELEY, May 13.—The Oakland Traction Company has agreed to install lights at Alcatraz avenue and Alameda street, at Spruce and Glenn avenue, and at Spruce and Eunice streets as stipulations in the applications for franchises in North and South Berkeley.

The applications for the extension of the Spruce street line into North Berkeley, and for the placing of the Grove street tracks on the west side of Alameda street in South Berkeley, instead of on the east side of the street were withdrawn at the meeting of the city council yesterday to make the change.

They will again be presented with the stipulations asked for at the meeting Tuesday night. The city council will be a saving to the city.

The council ordered the city hall garage furnished to provide accommodations for three members of the fire department, including Fire Chief James Kenney. As the new fire department is being organized, Kenney will be equipped with an auxiliary fire fighting apparatus the garage will be practically an additional fire house.

Playground apparatus for the city hall model playgrounds has been ordered from the city.

COMEDY OF WAR
TIMES TO BE GIVEN

BERKELEY, May 13.—Tuesday night at Wilkins Hall, the Hilsdale Junior Club will present the four-act comedy of war times, "The Hop King." The play tells of home life in Virginia during the civil war. The Primroses, the Gordons and the Taylors are some of the families involved in the plot to bring Lee into Washington.

Miss Sylvia Conklin appears in the title role.

ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, May 12.—Miss Marion Hovey has set her wedding date for June 14, when she will be married to Charles Hovey at a home ceremony. Dr. F. S. Brush will officiate.

Samuel Poorman will leave for the east and Europe next Friday. He will arrive in London for the coronation and then will tour the world.

Ensign and Mrs. Allan G. Olson are at Coronado with the fleet.

A farewell party was given Miss Minnie Weis at her home by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Weis. Miss Weis will leave Monday for Norfolk, Virginia, to join her fiancé, Raymont Weis, who is an instructor in the naval academy at Norfolk. The marriage of the couple will be solemnized upon the arrival of Miss Weis.

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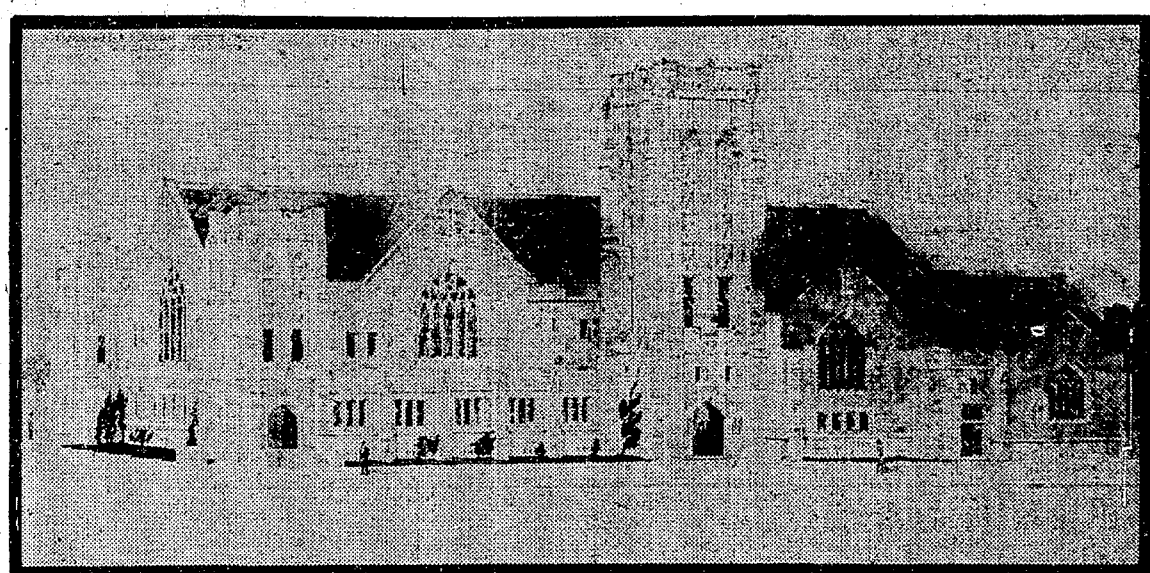
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HANDSOME EDIFICE PLANNED
FOR FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Proposed New House of Worship to Be Erected by the First Methodist Church at Broadway, Twenty-fourth and Webster Streets.

The tentative plans of the new edifice to be erected for the First Methodist Episcopal church to be erected on the block fronting on Broadway, Twenty-fourth and Webster streets, have been received by the trustees. The perspective of the imposing structure is here presented. While the plans submitted are tentative, it is represented authoritatively that there is no doubt about their adoption. If any changes are made they will be of a minor character. The design has been drawn by Norman F. Marsh, a Los Angeles architect, with whom Architect Charles W. McCall of this city is associated.

The site was bought several weeks ago. It has a frontage of 269 feet on Broadway, 110 feet on Twenty-fourth street, and 261 feet on Webster street. The building will be a class A steel frame structure, with reinforced concrete walls. One of the main external features will be an imposing tower eighty feet high, in which a set of Westminster chimneys will be installed.

The main auditorium will contain a seating capacity of 1200 persons. In this auditorium one of the finest organs on the coast, containing an echo organ as well as chimes, will be installed.

The Sunday school room will have a seating capacity for 600 persons. Adjoining this will be separate rooms for the special accommodation of the several departments. These rooms will have a combined seating capacity for 1500 persons.

On the western side of the building there will be a social hall for the holding of concerts, lectures and banquets, which will accommodate 600 persons. The total seating capacity provided within the walls of the building will accommodate 3900 persons.

LARGE AUDITORIUM.

The approximate cost of the building, exclusive of furnishing, will be \$150,000. The total cost will amount approximately to \$250,000.

Ground will be broken on the site within a few weeks, and it is expected to have the new church ready for occupation and dedication by April 1, 1912. In the meantime, the congregation will continue to worship in the old edifice at the southeast corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets, a privilege reserved in the terms of the sale of the property to local capitalists.

OAKLAND BIDS
FOR CONVENTION

Local Men Elected to Offices
by State Insurance
Association.

STOCKTON, May 13.—At the morning and closing business session of the annual convention of the California State Association of Fire Insurance Agents here today the following officers were elected:

Will Stephens, Los Angeles, president; J. L. Craig, Stockton, first vice-president; Noah Adair, San Bernardino, second vice-president; W. J. Thompson, Napa, third vice-president; C. Fred Burke, Oakland, secretary; Leo R. Well, Oakland, treasurer.

The place for the next convention will be decided by the executive committee, during October, invitations being received from San Diego, Oakland and Monterey.

HENS MAY SOON LAY
MINT-FLAVORED EGGS

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The American farmer soon will shed real fragrance wherever he goes, if he follows the latest official bulletin of advice from his Uncle Sam and goes into the production of home-made perfumery. At no cost at all he will be able to sprinkle lavender and peppermint all over the barnyard, and the hens may have a chance to lay eggs with separate and distinct odors such as sassafras, bergamot, ginger, juniper and mint.

Mint-flavored eggs will be especially handy in mixing juleps and brandy punches and the shells can be ground up for use in the apothecary shops, thus breaking the awful power of the drug trust. Seriously, though, says the secretary of agriculture in bulletin No. 195 of the bureau of plant industry, there is no reason why the making of perfumery should not be added as a profitable side line to farming. Oil of neroli petals now sells at from \$20 to \$75 a pound, and ylang-ylang fetches \$47 to \$55 a pound, and even the humble but industrious tansy blossom is worth \$2.50 a pound when tightly squeezed in the proper manner.

One thing the farmer should remember, namely, the chemical formula for oil of wintergreen. It will help him in his business. It runs as follows:

C14 H18 O8 plus H2O equals
C8 H4 (O H) COOCH3 plus C6 H12 O6.

HIS WATCH WAS CHEAP
SO THUGS BEAT HIM

NEW YORK, May 13.—Herman Hoppe, a tanner living at No. 744 East Two Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, the Bronx, was standing in front of No. 4373 Bronx Boulevard early one morning when he was approached by three men.

"Throw up your hands!" they commanded, so Hoppe complied.

The men then went through the tanner's clothes and extracted \$7 and a cheap watch. One of the thieves took the watch under the rays of a nearby street light, sized up its value and then, returning to Hoppe, said:

"Say, any guy carrying a cheap ticker like this ought to be killed."

Whereupon the trio took beer bottles from their pockets and beat Hoppe on the head and face until he reeled and fell to the sidewalk. They then kicked their victim on the face and body and, when he became unconscious, departed.

CAPITOL FOR THE SOBER ONLY.
ALBANY, N. Y., May 13.—John Bowe, superintendent of the Capitol building, has issued an order that only "respectable persons" be admitted to the Capitol and permitted to visit its charred splendors.

When one of Bowe's aides was asked tonight what was meant by the word "respectable," he said:

"Oh, it means that anybody can come in that ain't drunk, that's all."

MURDERER ON GALLOWS
ADJUSTS NOOSE HIMSELF

POTTSVILLE, May 13.—Joseph Christock was hanged in the county jail yard here today for the murder of Mrs. Ann Richards. Declining the ministrations of a priest and the assistance of a deputy sheriff, Christock walked smilingly from his cell to the foot of the gallows and then ran lightly up the steps. It was a public hanging and before him stood 1500 persons. He waved his hand to them and then reached up and grabbed the noose and placed it around his neck, but still smiling, said "Good-by, all." He held his head in position for the adjustment of the black cap, and in another moment the trap was sprung. He was dead in twelve minutes.

Before going to the gallows Christock confessed that he shot the woman when he was detected by her attempting to mistreat her daughter. He told also of a number of highway robberies and burglaries he had committed in the neighborhood. He wound up by saying that he deserved to be hanged. He joined of death to the very end.

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REUNITED BROTHERS'
SPEECH IS DIFFERENT

CHICAGO, May 13.—Separated since childhood, two brothers, patients in McAlester's hospital, Waukegan, met for the first time in many years. They were forced to talk to each other through an interpreter, for each spoke a different language—one Austrian, the other Lithuanian.

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LOSES HIS LIFE
SEEKING PURSE

Man in Frenzy Goes Into a
Burning House for Pocket-
Book; Overcome.

SANTA ANA, May 13.—The charred torso of Edward Teneyck lies in the morgue because Teneyck rushed into his burning home to get a pocketbook, which at the time was in the possession of his brother outside the home.

In his frenzied search for the pocketbook the man jerked a bureau from its place, and when he tried to leave the room he found the door blocked by the bureau. Overcome by smoke and heat, he could not get away and he fell to be burned to death.

When the fire ceased and the ruins were searched, the headless and limbless body, a blackened mass of charred flesh, was found. Not until all hope of rescuing Edward was gone did the brother remember that the pocketbook sought by Edward was in a pocket of the clothes worn by Simeon. It contained a small amount of money.

Edward Teneyck and his brother Simeon lived in a cloth-lined house a mile south of Anaheim. Some time after midnight last night the two returned home. Simeon went to bed and Edward lit an oil stove to cook something to eat. Simeon was awakened by the cries of Edward that the house was afire. Simeon rushed inside, saying he was going for his pocketbook. He never came out. Simeon waited, expecting his brother to return. By a time Simeon concluded that something had gone wrong with Edward, the flames were belching from the door.

Coroner T. E. Winbigger of Santa Ana held an inquest today.

GATEMAN AN EYE
LONG HATPIN COSTS

OMAHA, May 13.—A long hatpin cost William Foppus, gateman at the Union station, an eye. It came near piercing his brain and killing him.

Peppers was punching tickets at the gate when a fashionably dressed woman attempted to squeeze through the crowd. As she pushed her way past the gateman the pin in her hat caught in the corner of his left eye, lacerating it badly and, tearing across the temple, cut a deep gash several inches long. The sight of the eye was destroyed.

The police were unable to find the woman afterward.

HE'S HEIR TO MICE MONEY.

TRENTON, N. J., May 13.—In repairing the floor of an old house he recently bought, Patrolman Patrick Kerwick today found hidden between joists a large roll of bills. Many of them had been chewed by mice, but that did not prevent Kerwick from recognizing the \$100 mark on them.

FINDS BODY; IS HER SON'S.

ITHECA, May 13.—Looking out of the window of her home, Mrs. Frederick Engle was horrified to see a pair of small legs sticking out of a pool of water about fourteen inches deep. She rushed out and pulled from the pool the body of her five-year-old son, Ernest.

A calf was born to New Year's Pride every year thereafter until March, 1910, when one chilly morning she gave birth to triplets, two of which lived.

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Good Health Week! Special Sale of "Sunkist" Oranges Begins Next Monday

"GOOD HEALTH" Week begins next Monday and, in honor of the event, the people of this city will be given the greatest opportunity ever known to buy fresh, luscious fruit at reasonable prices.

Millions of "Sunkist" Arrive

Five millions of the famous "Sunkist" oranges have just arrived by special fast freight. On Monday morning, when the great orange sale begins, every fruit dealer in the city will be supplied with "Sunkists."

Most Luscious Fruit Grown

Unless you have eaten a "Sunkist" orange, you do not know the delicious taste of an orange right off the tree. "Sunkist" oranges are the fancy pick from TEN MILLION orange trees. Only the most select of this total crop

are "Sunkist"—only the perfect oranges—those which are hand-picked, tree-ripened, sound and solid. No fallen, bruised or otherwise damaged orange wears the "Sunkist" wrapper.

"Sunkist" oranges are thin-skinned, seedless and fibreless. Never pithy, sour or tasteless. There is so little waste that they are the most economical oranges one can buy.

"Sunkist" means the highest quality of oranges. Big "Sunkists" cost more than small ones, but all are sold at fair, modest prices, as you will see at your fruit dealer's.

Oranges Build Health

Physicians everywhere are now pointing out the health-giving properties of fresh, ripe, luscious oranges. Pure orange juice is an excellent nerve tonic, yet absolutely harmless. Fresh oranges are also recommended to counteract the effect of meats and other heavy foods which tend to clog the system. Most people's nerves and blood need toning up, particularly at this season of the year, so everybody should eat oranges frequently.



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Notice!

On all remittances up to 25c please send one-cent stamps, one amount above 24c, send post office money order, express money order or bank draft. Do not send cash. Make your money order or draft payable to The California Fruit Growers' Exchange, and address your letters to The California Fruit Growers' Exchange, 34 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill. You can secure these premiums with "Sunkist" orange wrappers, "Sunkist" lemon wrappers, "Red Ball" orange wrappers, or "Red Ball" lemon wrappers. If you will make it a point to buy only "Sunkist" and "Red Ball" oranges and lemons, you will not only get the finest fruits that grow, economically, but you will soon have enough wrappers to secure a complete set of the beautiful spoons and knives here shown.

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The picture shows our new 1911 design, Dessert Spoon, actual size. It is of the same excellent quality, and beautiful design as the orange spoon, but being larger and heavier is more valuable. Sent to you on receipt of 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20c additional. For each additional dessert spoon send 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20c.

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PETALUMA POULTRY RAISERS ORGANIZE

PETALUMA, May 13.—At a meeting held by a number of leading poultrymen the Petaluma Poultry Raisers' association was launched. The following officers for the first year were elected: President, H. C. Scrutton; secretary and treasurer, H. R. Campbell; first vice-president, W. A. Tough; second vice-president, Jack Lee; executive committee composed of H. C. Scrutton, H. R. Campbell, W. A. Tough, Jack Lee, D. Dangers, Carl Gregory, A. A. White, A. L. Jenkins, Albert Roberts.

At the meeting the members discussed the coming poultry show in December. In order to expedite the work and to have awards of prizes completed before the show is ended it has been decided to have two judges instead of one. They are Judge Collier of Tacoma and Robert Venn of Fresno.

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RICHMOND CLASH MAY BE SERIOUS

The City Would Put Street Through Despite "Shot-gun Talk."

RICHMOND, May 12.—A clash between local land interests here over the extension of streets for subdivision purposes has produced complications that may result in a court struggle, and there is shot-gun talk that is creating excitement.
W. B. Banforth, owner of the Lloyd tract, wished to extend streets through land owned by John Nichol. Negotiations failed to bring a suitable agreement, but roused a bitterness, which caused the erection of a high board fence by the Nichol interests at the boundary. While Nichol was East recently this fence was torn down and the proposed street extensions surveyed. Nichol has ordered Contractor James Cruikshank to replace the fence and not to notice resistance, even if shotguns are behind it. Cruikshank is preparing for the work.

NOTED BRITISH SINGER PENNILESS IN HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, May 12.—Scores of friends were surprised yesterday to learn that Francis Barrington Foote, one of the most popular English baritone voices of his day, and who sang with Patti at Covent Garden twenty-five years ago, is destitute and suffering from nervous breakdown in the City hospital on Blackwell's Island.
F. Barrington Foote is a son of General Foote of the British army. He came to America in 1900 with introductions to many of the "first families." Countess Leary and Mrs. French were among those who entertained him at Newport. He sang at concerts and was with Eddie Foy in "The Orchid" in 1903.

ILLINOIS SOCIETY TO GIVE WHIST TOURNEY

On Monday evening, May 22, the Illinois society will give a whist party at Woodman hall, Twelfth street between Washington and Clay streets, to which all whist players are cordially invited.
Hand-painted china, the work of Mrs. Thompson, will be given as prizes, one to three tables, and a handsome cut-glass dish will be given as a door prize. These prizes will be on exhibition at the window below. It is desired that the game begin at 8:45 o'clock p. m.

RICHMOND RESIDENTS TO GO ON EXCURSION

RICHMOND, May 12.—W. B. Trull, local agent of the Santa Fe, and E. H. Harlow, superintendent of the shops of that company here, will conduct a party of Richmond officials and business men that will go to San Francisco Monday to join the excursion the railroad corporation is to take around the bay on new Richmond ferry steamer San Pedro.

PEABODY FUND STILL INTACT

Custodians Report That the Principal of Education Fund Is Untouched.

NEW YORK, May 13.—After fourteen years beyond the time when they might have done so, a committee of the Peabody Educational Fund yesterday unanimously decided to report to the trustees that the principal of the fund had not been distributed nor the trusteeship closed.
Two years after the Civil War a tract owned by George A. Peabody, philanthropist, gave \$3,500,000 to advance education, three-fourth of the money to be spent in the South. Of this fund \$1,500,000 was in State bonds of Mississippi and Florida, afterward repudiated.
"As education in the North was well looked after by other agencies, we devoted the income of the remainder to the South," said the venerable Dr. Samuel A. Green, for thirty years the secretary of the fund without salary, once Mayor of Boston, who has outlined numerous trustees, such as U. S. Senator R. C. Winthrop, W. M. Davis, Chief Justice Fuller and Admiral Farragut.
Joseph H. Choate was chairman of the meeting, Richard Olney of Massachusetts, Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts, ex-Governor Hoke Smith of Georgia, ex-Governor Askell of North Carolina and Judge Henderson M. Somerville of Alabama, being the other members. Dr. Green attended by courtesy.

HOKE SMITH SAYS

"I shall report to the trustees in November. Until then we do not consider the details of our recommendation as to distribution should be made public."
The trustees were willing to intimate, however, that the remainder of the \$2,000,000 fund, with the \$1,000,000 voted last year to Peabody Normal School at Nashville, taken out, would be apportioned among institutions already established in the South, devoted to training teachers, white and colored.
"At first," remarked Dr. Green, "we sought to encourage the establishment of public schools. As these were helped along we began to encourage training of teachers."
Mississippi and Florida never benefited by the fund, their bonds never having been redeemed, but they may in the final distribution.

AUCTION SALE IS PLANNED BY ACTRESS

NEW YORK, May 13.—Broadway had its first opportunity yesterday to take a peep at the sewing machine, needles and thread, darning egg and other household effects of Edna Wallace Hopper, which are to be sold at auction next Thursday. All told, there are 909 articles, ranging in price from a few dollars to paintings valued at \$2500. The collection is said to be worth \$100,000, and in addition to furniture and beautiful household ornaments, includes gifts of various kinds which were made to the actress by persons of note in all parts of the world.
It is said the sale is the result of a decision of Miss Hopper to sell off everything because she will be on the road most of the time during the next year or so with Richard Carle and company.

AID SOCIETY TO GIVE A DANCE

Branch No. 35 to Entertain at Benefit Ball in Alcatraz Hall.

Branch 35 of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, located in St. Patrick's parish, West Oakland, will give a dance in Alcatraz hall on the evening of May 19. The proceeds will go into the relief fund of the society, which devotes itself to aiding the poor of the parish. Mrs. J. J. Barnett has the affair in charge and will be assisted at the dance by the following reception committee: Mrs. E. J. Clark, president of the branch; Mrs. E. F. Garrison, Mrs. A. A. Spencer, Miss Rose Walsh, Miss Marie Walsh, Miss Frances Mulligan, Miss Florence Cullen, Miss Sarah Flynn and Mrs. H. E. Magee. The tickets are 25 cents, and may be obtained from any member of the branch.
Since its organization less than a year ago, Branch 35, Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, has given four affairs in aid of the relief fund, and the members hope that this dance in Alcatraz hall will be well patronized by those willing to help in a worthy cause. In all its activities, Branch 35 has had the earnest support of the pastor, Rev. J. B. McNally, and of the assistant pastor, chaplain of the branch, Rev. Edward Maher.

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Granddaughter of Rosa Munyon Wants One-tenth Interest in Estate.

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A one-tenth interest in a \$10,000 estate is claimed, and it is further alleged that Frank, Joseph and Joaquin Munyon, sons of the decedent, used fraudulent misrepresentation over Mrs. Munyon when she drew her will.
Plaintiff asks that probate be denied pending further investigation. The suit is brought by Joseph S. McClell in behalf of his daughter, who is under age.
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SUNNY, clean room; private family; up per day; gas, bath, electricity; running water; 5 minutes to trains; \$10. 1002 Grove, Berkeley.

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THE VENICE, 3144 San Pablo ave., near 17th—Rooms, \$2 to \$4; week; hot, cold water, bath.

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150 WOMEN SAVED IN ASYLUM FIRE

Panic Ensues When the Flames Break Out in Salem Sanitarium.

SALEM, Ore., May 13.—Fire in the State Insane Asylum here last night caused a panic among the inmates and a loss of \$15,000. The blaze started in the women's department, and rapidly spread through the south wing of the building. One hundred and fifty women were rescued from the blazing wards.

Panic seized the patients when smoke and flames burst into the halls, and they shook the bars of their windows frantically, shouting "Fire!" Attendants and physicians rushed in, and in many cases the women had to be carried out bodily.

Convicts were sent over from the penitentiary, and some of the "trustworthy" patients assisted the local fire department in putting out the fire.

Both attendants and patients lost much of their clothing and furnishings. Defective wiring is believed to have caused the fire.

ALL-METAL AIRSHIP FLIES.
MINEOLA, L. I., May 13.—The new all-metal biplane of Captain Thomas Baldwin had its initial flight over the Hempstead plains yesterday. Baldwin sailed several times over Mineola.

In the Wake of the Measles.
The little son of Mrs. O. B. Palmer, Little Rock, Ark., had the measles. The result was a severe cough which grew worse and he could not sleep. She says "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar compound completely cured him and he has never been bothered since." Group whooping cough, measles, croup, all yield to Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The genuine is in the yellow package. Always. Refuse substitutes. Wishart's Drug Store, Tenth and Washington streets.

FIVE BITTEN BY VICTIM OF RABIES

Hospital Attaches Take Pasteur Treatment to Save Their Lives.

KANSAS CITY, May 13.—Three days after being bitten and scratched by a negro woman, patient who died Wednesday of hydrophobia, two internes and three nurses at the general hospital in this city began taking the Pasteur treatment.

The negro woman, Maria Jones, applied for treatment at the hospital Tuesday, saying she had been bitten by a dog and also by a man.

She soon was attacked by convulsions and became violent. While attempting to care for her, Dr. Stanley Freeman, Dr. J. D. Doherty, Ethel Dull, Clara Fluscher and Helen Jones were injured. Examination of the negro woman's brain today disclosed the fact that she had died of hydrophobia.

**DE FOREST SURE OF
WINNING HIS DIVORCE**

NEW YORK, May 13.—The motion to confirm the favorable report of James W. Butler, referee in the suit of John D. de Forest, the Wall-street broker, for absolute divorce from Mrs. Esther E. de Forest has been granted by Justice Gerard in the supreme court. The case will be called next Monday, and it is expected an interlocutory decree will be granted then.

Dalet H. Wilson, a lawyer of Los Angeles, was named in the suit as co-respondent. De Forest presented testimony that Mrs. de Forest was living last November in the Hotel San Marco, San Francisco, as Mrs. Worthington, at the time that a man named Wilson, whom she addressed as "Dearly," was a guest there.

INSURANCE MEN BAR RATE WARS

Delegates Condemn Trouble Over Price Cutting; Withdraw From Association.

STOCKTON, May 13.—The delegates to the state fire insurance agents' convention yesterday adopted resolutions condemning rate wars and the practice of overhead writing. It was also decided to withdraw temporarily from the national association, while its claims and principles were indorsed.

President Clay called the convention to order. His report dealt principally with the resolutions on legislation adopted last year, and said the proposed legislation would have protected the agents, the companies and the public.

Fred W. Le Ballister, secretary of the association, read the annual report, in which he reviewed the work done at Sacramento in connection with legislation desired by the association and thanked the Oakland and Los Angeles boards of fire underwriters for their support. He thanked the delegation for having released him last year, and suggested that his successor be some one within easy reach of San Francisco.

SPEECHES BY MANAGERS.
A number of managers of big fire insurance companies were called upon for remarks.

E. W. Osborne touched on the question of woman's suffrage, stating that in his opinion women never would win the cause by militant action. He urged the delegates to take steps to have the managers attend that convention.

John W. Gunn said that he approved the single agency plan. "I believe you would have had better fortune with your bill before the legislature had you first consulted the managers," he said. "A manager likes to have anything thrust down his throat. This is speaking very plainly, but it comes straight from the shoulder."

Other managers who addressed the agents were A. W. Thornton and E. F. Niebling.

A. W. Neale, president of the National Agents' association, was present.

ADVICE GIVEN TO AGENTS.

D. A. Spencer, manager of the Insurance Brokers' Exchange of San Francisco, read a paper on "The Agent in His Relation to Company and Client." After discussing various features of the subject, he said:

"A very large element in the success of a fire insurance company is due to the reputation it bears for giving the insured a square deal, and every time it has a controversy with the insured over the adjustment of a loss its prestige is greatly injured in the insured's vicinity. The greater portion of these controversies are due to some lapse on the part of the agent, who has issued a policy that does not fit the actual conditions of ownership or the physical surroundings of the property."

ESCAPED CONVICT TAKES HORSE FROM TEACHER

VIRGINIA CITY, Nev., May 13.—A man who fits the description of William Deal, the penitentiary convict who escaped from the prison farm near Carson two weeks ago, held up Miss Annie Sullivan, on her way to Six Mile Canyon, on the pretext of having a letter which he wished her to mail.

When the young woman came up to him astride her horse the bandit told her he was an escaped convict, forced her to dismount and go to a neighboring house and procure food for him. He then disappeared in the hills after warning Miss Sullivan to keep quiet or he would kill her.

Sheriff Seeman of Virginia City, with a posse headed armed, started in pursuit this morning from that place, and Warden Ray Baker, accompanied by Sheriff Ferrell and a deputy, left Reno late yesterday in an automobile in the hope of intercepting the desperado.

KILLS HIMSELF WHEN MONEY IS ALL GONE

RENO, May 13.—After spending his share of a large estate left him by his father, H. H. Beck, an old and respected pioneer of the city, W. W. Beck, aged 28 years, killed himself with a 48-caliber revolver last evening while in a fit of despondency at his home, 100 State street. The parents of Beck died about three years ago. A sister is a teacher in one of the city schools. Young Beck had just returned a few days ago from San Francisco, where he had spent several weeks. He has been engaged for some time with his brother in conducting a flour mill for George Dangberg at Minden. He was single.

INJURED PASSENGERS TAKEN TO SALT LAKE

SALT LAKE CITY, May 13.—Three of the passengers who sustained injuries through the derailment of the Denver & Rio Grande train near Minturn, Colo., Wednesday night, are patients at the hospital here. They were removed from the train on its arrival here yesterday morning from the scene of the wreck.

The injured passengers are Miss Katherine Steadman of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Frank Barnett of Moscow, Idaho; and A. P. St. John of Redlands, Cal. All are badly bruised, but are said to be in no danger and are resting easily.

WOMAN INHERITS RING OF EDGAR ALLEN POE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 13.—The engagement ring of Edgar Allen Poe figured in the inventory of the estate of Mrs. Eliza Poe Hayden filed in the probate court here yesterday. The poet gave the ring to a Mrs. Sheldon of Richmond, Va., whom he was on his way to visit when he died at Baltimore. Mrs. Hayden was second cousin of Poe. The inheritance of the ring is Miss Susan Mower of this city.

SAVED CHILD FROM DEATH.
"After our child had suffered from severe bronchial trouble for a year," wrote G. T. Richardson, of Richardson's Mills, Ala., "we feared it had consumption. It had a bad cough all the time. We tried many remedies without avail, and doctor's medicine seemed as useless. Finally we tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and are pleased to say that our child effected a complete cure, and our child is again strong and healthy." For coughs, colds, hoarseness, la grippe, asthma, croup and sore lungs, it's the most infallible remedy that's made. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Good Bros.

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\$1500 IN OPIUM PIPES BURNED

Fresno Bonfire Comes High; Opium Is Sent North.

FRESNO, May 13.—A little bonfire, of about \$1500, was a feature at the city pound yesterday. The pharmacy authorities burned 175 Chinese opium pipes confiscated in recent raids. Some of the pipes were beautifully carved and they ranged in value from \$9 to \$10.

The best pipes were smuggled into this country and the cheaper ones procured in San Francisco. Before they were burned the pipes were scraped in order to get out opium and yen chee. The opium will be burned in San Francisco.

Several thousand dollars worth of opium has been confiscated in recent valley raids.

WARNING TO RAILROAD MEN.
E. S. Bacon, 11 East St. Bath, Me., sends out this warning to railroaders: "A conductor on the railroad, my work caused a chronic inflammation of the kidneys, and I was miserable and I played out. A friend advised Foley Kidney Pills and from the day I commenced taking them I began to regain my strength. The inflammation cleared and I am far better than I have been for twenty years. The weakness and dizzy spells are a thing of the past and I highly recommend Foley Kidney Pills." Wishart's Drug Store, Tenth and Washington streets.

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